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NEEDS OF THE PEOPLE

Chandler Advises His Party to Heed Them.

NOTABLE SPEECH IN THE SENATE

The Senator Presents His Views on the Subjects of Bimetallism and Bolters.

WASHINGTON, February 16.—Senator Chandler's speech in the senate today in advocacy of bimetallism was one of the notable efforts of the present session, not only for the scholarly case with which the senator presented the question from his standpoint, but for the bitter sarcasm addressed to Senator Palmer and the Indianapolis convention, the arraignment of silver Republicans who bolted the St. Louis convention and for the dramatic personal exchange between Mr. Chandler and Mr. Pettigrew, the latter being one of the bolters from the St. Louis convention.

The peroration of Mr. Chandler was an appeal to the incoming President and his advisers to heed the needs of the people, particularly on the money question, and a warning of speedy political disaster certain to follow delay. The early part of the speech was a presentation of the principles of finance, the senator arguing against a single standard of either metal, silver or gold. He traced the gradual demonetization of silver, the closing of our mints against the silver dollar in '73, the efforts to restore silver and the serious blow struck by England against silver in closing the Indian mints. But it remained for Secretary Carlisle, the senator declared, to strike the most fatal blow at silver in issuing his order that the government would redeem its paper obligations in gold only. By that act Secretary Carlisle struck out of use a vast amount of silver and drew on the depleted world's supply of gold and gave the final blow to silver. From the effects of this low depth to which it had been reduced by the demonetization of silver, bimetallism must now begin its toilsome struggle upward.

Mr. Chandler took up the fall of prices, particularly in farm products, resulting from silver demonetization. He declared that within the last twenty years there had been a steady fall of prices of all classes of property. His own convictions, that silver demonetization was at the bottom of this downward movement in prices, caused him to seriously doubt whether the era of restored prosperity was near at hand. He was led to the conclusion, he said, that prices had not yet "touched bottom."

The shrinkage in various things had been most serious since 1890. The value of property in the United States was sixty-five thousand millions in 1890; now it was estimated at forty-nine thousand millions, a shrinkage of 25 per cent since 1890. Our debts had not shrunk, but remained an inexorable charge. Deducting them, the value of our property was cut down to thirty-three thousand millions. Can this proceed, asked the Senator, without widespread bankruptcy? He was of the opinion the gradual tendency was to leave debtors without the powers of paying their debts until by a gradual revolution the assets of debtors were absorbed by creditors.

If it had not been for the fortunate balance of trade in our favor during the past year, he said, there would have been another cataclysm in this country which would have prostrated all interests and produced infinite misery on our business and domestic affairs. It was because gaunt famine stalked through India that trade was favorable to us. For these reasons, Mr. Chandler said, turning toward Mr. Palmer of Illinois, who sat near, he was opposed to such declarations for a permanent gold standard as that enunciated by the Indianapolis convention.

At one point Mr. Chandler caused much amusement by addressing himself to Mr. Palmer. The New Hampshire senator had read a list of standard authorities on bimetallism and then, turning to Mr. Palmer, he presented the Illinois senator a copy of the list, saying he felt it would be helpful to the candidate of the Indianapolis convention.

Mr. Chandler said silver monometallism had led to the defeat of Mr. Bryan. The older element of the Democratic party had selected Palmer and Buckner on a single gold standard platform. It had resulted in giving to these estimable candidates 136,000 votes in a total of 14,000,000 votes. Nevertheless, said Mr. Chandler, the assistance of these old fashioned gentlemen in the election of McKinley was in a worthy cause.

Mr. Palmer remained in his seat across the isle, smiling occasionally at Mr. Chandler's sarcastic allusions to him. This, however, was but the prelude to a sensational episode between Mr. Chandler and Mr. Pettigrew. The New Hampshire senator said Mr. Pettigrew had been sent to that St. Louis convention on a pledge that he would support McKinley and "sound money" and yet, within two weeks, that senator had repudiated his pledge, had bolted McKinley and a sound money platform and soon thereafter had come out as a supporter of Bryan.

Mr. Pettigrew had entered the chamber as this statement was made. He advanced to his seat and interrupted: "Do you make that statement on your own authority, or as a quotation?" he asked.

"I make the statement," answered Mr. Chandler, "taking it from the newspaper reports which are understood to have given a correct statement of the case."

Mr. Pettigrew, with explosive emphasis, replied, "I brand that statement as wholly and unqualifiedly false in every particular. I have made that explicit denial before, and have it in the record, so the senator (Chandler) should know it is absolutely false."

"I understand the senator (Pettigrew) declares the statement wholly false. Does he mean to say he was not in a convention which named him as a McKinley delegate?"

"I say," interrupted Mr. Pettigrew, vehemently, "that the purpose of your statement is absolutely and wholly false."

"Ah, the 'purpose' of my statement is what the senator questions. Now I ask him whether he attended a convention favorable to sound money and was named as a delegate by such convention?

"I was a delegate," said Mr. Pettigrew, calmly.

"Then I do not understand this performance of the Senator," proceeded Mr. Chandler.

"There is not so wide a difference between us as might appear. He declared that my statement was wholly false. He admits that he went to the national convention as a delegate from a sound money convention."

Mr. Pettigrew declared he had made his position perfectly clear before the state convention, prior to his being chosen as a delegate.

The incident was brief, but was emphasized by the personal manner in which the senators addressed each other.

Mr. Chandler, resuming the thread of his remarks, spoke of the opportunities ahead of the Republican administration in checking the money power and limiting corporate influences.

In conclusion he said: "I declare my belief that President McKinley and the other leaders of the party, in their advent in power, may, by wise designs and virtuous deeds, indefinitely prolong the ascendancy of the Republican party in this country. This can surely be done by making it the true party of the people to the final confusion and discomfiture of those pretenders, the blind leaders of the blind, who were so summarily, on the 3d of November last, all thrown into the ditch together. If, on the contrary, this is not done and the Republican party shall content itself with seizing and enjoying the spoils of office, surrendering unreservedly to the money power which so effectively contributed to its recent victory, acquiescing permanently in the existing gold standard and treating bimetallism as a 'juggling humbug,' and the promise to promote it as a pledge never intended to be fulfilled, Republicans will speedily find the tide of political battle once more turned against them and they will soon exchange places with their now sore, bleeding and prostrate foes.

"To the coming triumphant President, hopeful and overconfident, rejoicing as a strong man to run a race, and to his chosen advisers, soon to challenge all the adverse currents of the future, I cannot help saying warningly, concerning the pending worldwide controversy over the burning question of money:

"'Unsettled questions pay no heed to the repose of nations.
"'Be wise today.
"''Tis madness to defer.'"

HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, February 16. — Last night's pension session having practically failed of its purpose, owing to the difficulty in securing a quorum, the house today vacated the order for a night session and devoted the day, after the routine business had been disposed of, to the consideration of private pension bills. Thirty-nine bills in all were passed.

A bill was passed to define the jurisdiction of United States courts in cases of infringement of letters patent.

At 4.45 o'clock the house adjourned.

WHEELMEN DISAGREE

WESTERN LEAGUE MEMBERS TALK OF SECESSION.

Colorado Takes the Initiative—Will Call a Convention and Invite Delegates.

DENVER, February 16.—E. S. Hartwell, ex-treasurer of the League of American Wheelmen, has returned from Albany much dissatisfied with the way things went in the assembly. He held many consultations with the Californians and others during the session, and all agreed that secession was the best thing. Colorado will take the initiative, and in a few days a proposed constitution will be sent to prominent members of the League of American Wheelmen in every state, with a request that they give their opinion on the same and express themselves as to their position on division. The replies will be awaited to ascertain exactly where the greatest opposition will be; then a convention will be called and delegates from all over the country invited. The secession will then be announced and the wheelmen will be asked to join the new movement.

It is claimed the secession movement will carry from the league nearly half of their state divisions and probably one-third of their membership, as all the western states will swing into line and take with them the southwest, and even some of the divisions lying east of the Mississippi.

OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Likely It Will Adjourn Without Electing a Senator

SALEM, Or., February 16.—It is now said to be the intention of the Mitchell men to adjourn the legislature sine die next Friday night without the election of a United States senator. Three of Mitchell's men are sick, which reduces his support to thirty-six, or ten less than a majority. The Mitchell men will hold another conference tomorrow night and a great deal depends upon its action. The proceedings today were unimportant. Yesterday a number of anti-Mitchell members of the house received a telegram from Cornelius N. Bliss of New York, secretary of the American Protective league, urging the election of a Republican United States senator before adjournment. The telegram is as follows:

"Failure to elect a Republican United States senator will jeopardize Republican reorganization of the senate, March 5th, and endanger tariff legislation. Oregon then would be responsible for continued hard times and the embarrassment of the incoming administration."

Several of the members today sent replies, and among them George H. Hill, who said: "I have lived in Oregon nearly twenty years and understand the situation here better than you do. Oregon is rich in sensorial timber. Have Mitchell withdraw and we will quickly send you a sound specimen."

Other replies were in the same vein.

CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION.

Senator Jones Starts the Silver Boom for 1900.

CHICAGO, February 16.—Charles N. Crewson of the University of Chicago, who was prominently connected with the Bryan league of college clubs during the late campaign, has received a letter from Chairman James K. Jones of the Democratic national committee urging upon him the importance of reorganizing the clubs and starting at once a "campaign of education" in the interest of free silver for the presidential election of 1900. Senator Jones further stated that he had written similar letters to educational institutions in various parts of the country. He said it was the intention to make Harvard college the head of the reorganization work in the East, the University of California on the Pacific Coast, Nebraska University in the West and Chicago University and the University of Virginia in the South and middle west. Tomorrow a meeting will be held at Chicago University of members of the old college Bryan clubs and a permanent organization formed for active work.

W. B. Depew of Sanger had business in Fresno yesterday.

TURKS DEMORALIZED

Simply Follow Advice of the Powers.

THE GRECIAN PROCLAMATION

Resolved to End the Troubled State of Affairs in the Island of Crete.

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CANEA, February 16.—The occupation of Canea was carried out by the foreign fleets with the consent of Turkish officials and is not in any way likely to add to the complications at Constantinople. The commander of the Greek fleet was notified formally of the joint occupation of this place.

The Turkish authorities are demoralized and are simply following out the recommendations they receive from foreign admirals who are acting in accord and consult upon every step taken.

It is thought certain that the next departure will be the establishment of a provisional Christian government in Crete, pending the consent of the powers being given to annexation of the island to Greece, though it does not seem as if that country was willing to wait any longer for the necessary permission.

The proclamation of Colonel Vassos, the commander of the Grecian forces of Platonicus, was dated at the convent of Gonia and read:

"Cretans: You are suffering from the fate of anarchy and are exposed to the excesses of a fanatical populace, excesses which have awakened the national sentiment and have deeply stirred the Hellenic people.

"This lamentable situation of a people of the same race and same religion, having common destinies with ourselves, could not any longer be allowed to exist.

"The King of the Hellenes, my august master, has resolved to end this state of things by a military occupation of Crete.

"In proclaiming this occupation to the inhabitants without distinction of religion or nationality, I promise in the name of His Majesty to protect honor, life and property and to respect the religious convictions of the inhabitants while bringing them peace and law."

ATHENS, February 16.—It is generally believed here that the Cretan features of the eastern question are now a thing of the past and that the landing of Greek troops at Crete, as exclusively announced by the Associated Press yesterday afternoon, is not likely to turn out a casus belli between Turkey and Greece.

The absolute decision of Greece, which persists in the occupation of Crete and the protection of the Christians on that island in spite of the attitude of the powers, is founded on the declaration of the Cretans that they are prepared to shed the last drop of their blood in order to attain their national aspirations, to which they add that they will not be satisfied with anything short of complete union with Greece.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

ASSEMBLY.

SACRAMENTO, February 16.—The assembly today passed a fifty-thousand dollar appropriation for a state normal school at San Diego.

A resolution for an investigation of the state printing office was made a special order for tomorrow after a favorable report from the committee.

After recess Leavitt's bill relating to the construction of buildings for the university was ordered placed on the urgency file.

The senate amendments to the assembly bill providing for the better protection of stockholders in mining corporations were concurred in and the bill ordered to re-engrossment.

SENATE.

SACRAMENTO, February 16.—Belshaw's bill relating to the reduction of officers and employes of the legislature was passed in the senate as heretofore amended and ordered transmitted to the assembly for concurrence in the amendment.

Tracy's bill fixing the compensation for labor on public work was amended so as to take the power out of the hands of the labor commissioner and ordered to re-engrossment and third reading.

STEEL RAILS ORDERED.

The Valley Road Directors Place A Contract.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—An order for 24,000 tons of 62½-pound steel rail rails was given by the board of directors of the San Joaquin Valley railroad today to the Homestead mills of Pennsylvania. They are to take the place of the 1600 tons of rails lost on the Willie Rosenfield a year or so ago. Purchase was deferred at that time owing to the high price, but now that it has dropped, and the material will be needed for the extension of the road south from Fresno, the order has been placed.

Allowing two months for their manufacture and from four to six months for their transportation by sailing vessel around the Horn, the rails will not reach here until about September. Upon their arrival the Valley road will have sufficient rail to lay tracks to Bakersfield and for all side tracking along the San Joaquin valley.

Grading for the extension from Fresno to Hanford began today and the lumber for the bridge across Kings river is now being unloaded from a vessel in the harbor.

CONDUCTORS SATISFIED.

No Present Grievance Against the Southern Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—The members of the grievance committee of the Order of Railway Conductors have assembled in the city for their annual conference. The committee is composed of delegates from the various points on the western system of the Southern Pacific Company as follows: Perkins of Los Angeles, Grant of Wadsworth, J. M. Wright of Sacramento, Frank Hart of Ogden, Tully of Portland and Stafford of San Francisco.

This afternoon the committee paid a friendly call on Manager Fillmore of the Southern Pacific. The members announce that no difficulties exist at present between their order and the railroad company.

More Grain Wanted for India.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—The local committee engaged in securing a ship load of grain to send to the relief of the sufferers in India is again soliciting contributions, only about one-fourth of the cargo having been pledged. Donations of wheat can be shipped free of charge to G. W. McNear's warehouse at Port Costa, Cal.

FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS.

Fund to Be Raised for the Starving in India.

A meeting will be held at the Methodist hall, in Easton, on Thursday, February 18th, at 8 p.m., to raise funds for the starving in India.

Rev. Mrs. M. J. Bardon, county president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and others, are expected to make short speeches. Extracts from letters from Mrs. Rev. George Carroll of Ahota, India, written to her friends here, will be read.

Subscriptions and a collection will be taken which, with any money, handed this week to our treasurer, Mrs. Rachel Bixby, will be receipted for and forwarded direct to Rev. Carroll and wife, to be used for the starving. When the donation from this community is received and used, we shall no doubt hear something of the good it has done.

THE SECRETARY.

Easton, February 16, 1897.

THE BICYCLE MEET.

The Entries for the Various Events Number Twenty.

There are twenty entries for the bicycle races at the Tachydrome next Monday, and the events will be some of the hottest contested ever seen in Fresno. The track is in fine condition, and the boys will have an opportunity for making some fast time.

If the people turn out on Monday as numerously as they did last Sunday to see the boys train, the clubs under whose auspices the meet will be given will be satisfied, financially speaking.

On account of the many entries the novice race will have to be run in three heats. Harris and Hertwick will ride the tandem and pace Robert Barton in his half mile exhibition. The tandem team in practice rides a half mile under a minute with ease.

Superior Court Notes.

The following business was transacted in the superior court yesterday:

BEFORE JUDGE BISLEY, DEPARTMENT 1.

O. G. Anderson vs. O. M. Thompson; cause tried and judgment awarded defendant for costs; ten days stay of execution stipulated and prepared.

Crescent Canal Company vs. John Montgomery et al.; order sustaining demurrer to amended cross complaint of defendant, and motion to strike out denied.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

THEY WILL BE HELD IN THE CITY TONIGHT.

No Republican Should Fail to Attend Them—The Meeting Places.

Owing to a misunderstanding an error was made in yesterday's REPUBLICAN in stating that the Republican city caucuses were to be held last night. The caucuses are to be held tonight, this paper's announcement being too early by one day. Yesterday afternoon posters were printed and distributed about town correcting the error.

The caucuses will be held tonight, and will be called to order at 8 o'clock sharp, in each precinct. Again it is desired to remind all Republicans of the importance of attending these meetings, at which will be selected the candidates on whom citizens will vote at the primaries for the election of delegates to the city convention.

The caucuses will be held at the following places:

First precinct—In Justice Austin's courtroom on Mariposa street.
Second precinct—At McNie's store at the corner of Fresno and M streets.
Third precinct—The Fresno house.
Fourth precinct—Engine house No. 2.
Fifth precinct—Armory stables.
Sixth precinct—Carter & Smith's law office in the Fresno National Bank building.
Seventh precinct—City hall.
Eighth precinct—Arcade hotel.
Ninth precinct—Walley's building at the corner of Fresno and F streets.
Tenth precinct—Burleigh's warehouse.

Butler's Examination.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—In the case of Butler, the alleged Australian murderer now being tried for extradition, counsel for the prosecution today presented evidence in connection with the murder of Preston, the evidence in the Weller case being all in. Constable Conroy of Australia told his story of how Butler had tried to induce him to go on a prospecting tour, Butler claiming to be Frank Harwood, a mining expert.

Thousands of Elk.

Thirty thousand elk are wintering in the Jackson's Hole country of Wyoming, according to the estimate of the game warden, who says that in one herd which he saw the other morning there were 15,000 of them, stretching over a distance of six miles. The sight, he said, surpassed anything he had ever seen and utterly amazed him. The elk trail over the snow was like flint ice, he said, so hard had the snow been packed down. The animals are seen by thousands any morning moving along the Snake river from the Great swamp to the Gros Ventre hills, and at night the wails of the calves straying from their mothers may be heard.

A Norwegian Nightingale.

Fran Eva Nansen, the wife of the famous explorer, is a great traveler in her own way. Now that her husband is safe and sound at home, says the Kleine Zeitung, she is about to set forth upon one of her long musical tours through Sweden, Finland and the cold north. She is one of the most accomplished of Scandinavian soprano songstresses, and one night recently arrived at Stockholm, where she sang before a crowded audience in the Festsaal of the Academy of Arts. King Oscar was present, and after the concert invited the Norwegian nightingale to supper with himself and the royal household.

A WAGON ROAD NEEDED

To Connect Fresno and Inyo Counties.

ITS ADVANTAGES POINTED OUT

Would Lead to the Development of the Sierra Mineral Deposits.

The REPUBLICAN yesterday received a letter from W. A. Chalfant, editor of the Inyo *Register*, relative to the building of a wagon road to connect Fresno and Inyo counties. As this is a matter of considerable importance the communication is herewith given in full:

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I am investigating the feasibility and possibility, as a future proposition, of a wagon road across the Sierras at this point to connect with roads opening into those on your side of the mountains. I am told that there are sawmills, or a sawmill rather, at a point about twenty miles from the summit, southwest of here, and that a road and flume runs out from there to Fresno. I should be greatly obliged if you would favor me with such information as you may conveniently give on the subject, especially:

What mills are situated nearest to this point in your county? The end of our road nearest summit is in about range 31 east, township 7 south, M.D.M. How far in this direction does any wagon road now built extend? Do you know of any map showing Fresno roads fully?

If not convenient for you to reply, will you kindly hand this to some one who will do so, and greatly oblige.

Yours truly, W. A. CHALFANT.

Bishop, February 11, 1897.

As Thomas E. Hughes has advocated the building of such a road and has been quoted before in the REPUBLICAN on this subject, the letter was submitted to him, and his answer is worthy of serious consideration. Mr. Hughes' reply is as follows:

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I was handed a letter which was written to you by W. A. Chalfant of Bishop, who says he is investigating the feasibility of a wagon road from that place to Fresno and wants to know what sawmills are on the direct route, where the present wagon roads end, etc.

The mill owned by Peckinpah, eight miles above the North Fork, which is on one of the trails to the Minarets, is about thirty miles from the crossing of the San Joaquin river, above what is known as the falls near the old camp of Red Satchel, which is eight miles west of Mammoth, making the trail thirty-eight miles from the mill.

The Minaret Gold, Silver and Copper Mining Company proposes to work on the trail beyond Jesse Ross' place, leaving the mill some four miles to the north on what is known as the French trail, made to pack the supplies for the surveyor who made the survey known as the Gould survey. It is not known yet how far we can extend this road the present spring, but the company will do all it can, commencing about April 1st and working until June 1st, as it is determined to get a road so as to put proper machinery on its mines, which road would reach near the falls on the San Joaquin river, eight miles from Mammoth.

As I have heretofore said through your paper, the Mammoth people are willing to help build this road, yet the people of Fresno do not seem to feel any interest in obtaining the immense trade which would come to Fresno from Mammoth and the Minarets. The last named district will employ 500 men in less than three years and has mines which can be profitably worked to employ 10,000 men, and more as soon as a railroad has been completed.

But the business men of Fresno must evidently have 100 per cent in sight before they will put up one dollar for any public benefit. After a railroad has been built across the mountains, however, they will say, We ought to have had it years ago.

Mr. Beck, who owns the iron mines of the Minaret district, offers any company iron ore enough to build the road from Bishop to Fresno, when the road is completed. By cutting a tunnel three miles the altitude would only be a little over 6000 feet. The tunnel would run through rich deposits of gold, silver and copper, and would ten times over pay the expense of building the road.

No railroad company wanting to reach this coast from the East would hesitate one moment in building it on this line after they had examined the route and fully calculated the future business it would afford.

Ten years from today 20,000 and perhaps 40,000 men will be at work within five miles of the line of the road. I am not wild over this matter. I think I can see in the near future one of the most prosperous mining camps ever known on this coast; and some of the Fresno people will say, as they have in the past, "I wish we had taken Old Man Hughes' advice."

THOMAS E. HUGHES.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—The following are prices furnished by the San Francisco Fruit Exchange. Jobbing:

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots—Fancy Moorparks, 13c; choice do, 12c; fancy do, 10c; choice, 8½c; standard, 7c; prime, 6½c.

Peaches—Fancy, 6½c; choice, 5½c; standard, 5c; prime, 4½c; peeled in boxes, 12½c.

Pears—Fancy halves, 6½c; fancy quarters, 5½c; choice, 4½@5c; standard, 4c; prime, 2½@3c.

Plums—Pitted, 4½c; unpitted, 1½c.

Prunes—Four sizes, 3¾c.

Nectarines—Fancy 5½c, choice 4½c, standard 4c.

Figs—Choice white 4c, do black 3c, fancy white figs in 10-lb boxes 65@70c.

Raisins—Jobbing prices: In sacks or 50-lb boxes—Four-crown, loose, 5½c per pound; 3-crown, 4¾c; 2-crown, 3¾c; seedless Sultanas, 5¾c; seedless Muscatels, 4½c.

In 20-lb boxes—3-crown London layers, $1.30 per box; clusters, $1.60; Dehesia clusters, $2.75; Imperial clusters, $3.25.

GRAIN.

Wheat—Inactive; May, 1.92¾.
Barley—Steady; May 77½c.
Corn—Large yellow, 77½@80c.
Bran—California, $12@13 per ton.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—MAN WITH TWO HORSES wants plowing. Address R., box 13, this office. 1946

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER would like to have set of books to keep evenings. Address X. Y., box 13, this office. 1943*

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED Japanese young man and boy; man to do good cooking and boy to wash dishes; any kind of mill or mining, boarding house, hotel or large family. Henry Yama, 1835 Mariposa street, Fresno. 1936*

I. X. L. EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FURNISHES male and female help at short notice. 906 J street. MRS. K. BRUCE and C. FAUCHT. 14

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC

FOR RENT—PART OF A STORE ON MARIPOSA street; good location for a first-class dressmaker. Inquire at 1817 Mariposa street. 1771f

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. 1145 N street. 117*

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING. Apply 1323 N street. 1913*

FOR RENT—A WELL-LOCATED SHOE SHOP; rent cheap. Apply to J. M. Giant, 1137 K street, between Mariposa and Tulare. 1931

FOR RENT—A RANCH OF 17 ACRES, ONE mile from Sanger, Cal.; good house and barn; all set to trees and alfalfa. W. M. Barr, Sanger, Cal. 111

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOM for one or two gentlemen; rent $6 month. Inquire room 3, Griffith building. 1841

FOR RENT—AN UNFURNISHED HOUSE. Apply to A. O. Warnekros, 1915 Mariposa street. 130

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. 1003 J street. n231f

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED, COMfortable rooms in the Spinney building, I street, north of Merced, at $1.25 per week. n101f

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—TWENTY TONS OF FIRST-class baled wheat hay at Fancher Creek Nursery. 1701

FOR SALE—A FRESH COW; $25. LUCIUS Baker, Fig avenue. 1916*

FOR SALE—HORSES AND MULES IN CARload lots or quantities to suit. L. F. Ward, 537 south F street, Fresno. 1941

FOR SALE AT PAR—20 SHARES OF 5 PER cent dividend-paying stock of the Farmers' Bank of Fresno. Address N. P. Lapell, P. O. box 257, Denver, Colorado. 1936

FOR SALE—ALFALFA HAY. APPLY F. G. Berry, Grand Central Hotel. 1911

FOR SALE CHEAP—TERMS EASY. NICELY improved 20-acre tract, four miles from town; vines and trees; no alkali. Apply at once to Horace Rivers, room 11 Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building. 1926

FOR SALE—BRAND NEW SETS OF LIGHT buggy harness; $15.50 per set. Apply second-hand store, 1137 K street 1411

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO COOKING. 1507 K street. 1701

WANTED—TWO ACTIVE MEN TO BIND grape brush. Lucius Baker, Fig avenue. 1916*

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; good wages to capable person. 1513 K street. 1903*

WANTED—A LADY WITH GOOD JUDGment of business affairs to fill a vacancy. Address Wholesale, box 13, Republican office. 1943*

THOUSANDS OF GOOD PLACES UNDER the McKinley Administration in every part of the country. Do you want one? The Mid-Winter edition of the NATIONAL RECORDER will tell how to get a position. Send five cents in stamps to the NATIONAL RECORDER, Washington, D. C. 1926

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—TWO YOUNG MARES, GRAY and bay, about three years old; branded M L on left hip. Call at Gray's ranch, 12 miles east of Fresno. 1924w4t2

TAKEN UP—AT SUNNYSIDE VINEYARD February 7th, 1897, two sows and thirteen pigs. Owner prove property and pay charges. 1915*

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—TO BUY AT HIGHEST PRICES all kinds of second-hand goods. Upholstering done in neatness and best manner. Second Hand Store, 1137 K street, between Mariposa and Tulare. 1791f

WANTED—A GOOD FORTY-ACRE VINEyard for rent; state terms. Address Vineyard, box 18, this office. 1862w1941*

WANTED—HELP AND SITUATIONS FURnished by the Tivoli Employment Office, 1327 Mariposa street. 1141f

WANTED—RELIABLE PARTY TO LEASE second and third floors of three story brick building; centrally located in the business portion of the city; consisting of 33 rooms suitable for offices and lodgings. Apply to F. M. Chittenden, No. 1152 I street, Fresno, Cal. 114

WANTED — A SECOND-HAND BABY buggy; must be cheap and in good repair. Call at 229 Blackstone avenue. 1943

WANTED—THOMPSON SEEDLING VINES at the Fancher Creek Nursery, cor. Fresno and I streets. 1441

WANTED — BY THE FIRST WEEK IN March, furnished house for just one month. Address Box 248, Sanger. 1936

WANTED—TRAYS AND SWEATBOXES; state quantity, location, condition, price. Address P. O. box 1294. 1916

WANTED—TO BUY SPAN HORSES (1050) with harness; must be cheap. O. A. Shattuck, 1066 J street. 112

WANTED—FARM WAGON IN GOOD CONdition. T. W. Patterson, 1822 I street. 1916*

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ESTRAYED—FROM MY PLACE, ONE MILE east of Kingston, February 4th, one bay horse; age about 14; weight, about 1000 lbs.; long mane; very gentle; single foot part of the time. Send word to W. Dickon, Lillie P. O., Cal. 111

ESTRAYED—THREE HORSES, ONE STRAWberry roan mare, one gray horse and one fine gray horse. Finder please return to La Favorita Vineyard and get paid for trouble. 1916*

ESTRAYED—A LARGE BAY HORSE; THREE white feet and white spot on forehead; end of mane roughly clipped with scissors by boy; will pay $7.50 for return of horse. Leave word at County Auditor's office. 1878w1941

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FOUND—A FOB CHAIN. OWNER CAN have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. 1761

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THE THREATENED SPLIT.

The western wheelmen have the right to leave the American League if so they please, but they will not honor themselves by leaving it for no other reason than that the eastern wheelmen refuse to permit league races on Sunday. If they must sever the old relation, they will do well to wait for an opportunity to do it without placing themselves in opposition to the majority sentiment of the nation, both in the religious world and out of it, as they undoubtedly will do if they take the step they are contemplating.

One need not be a stickler for religious forms, nor for a Puritan Sabbath, in order to say this. It is entirely possible to have little or no religious sentiment of one's own, and at the same time respect and regard that of other people. And to this comes the question in the case under consideration; it is a question whether or not we will regard the notions, as we may consider them, which are sacred to other people. They may not be sacred to us, to be sure, but why should we not consider that they are to others and act upon the consideration? There are sentiments which are worthy of respect because in some strange way they touch the deeper and better part of human nature.

In California we have little of the Sabbath in the orthodox meaning of the word. If your church member is particularly busy he not infrequently keeps on with the work when Sunday has come; and so with your non-church member, Sunday ordinarily is his play day. Perhaps this is all right; possibly to make Sunday a day of general relaxation would be to put the day to its best use. At any rate, the condition is typical of the form of civilization which we have attained, and the REPUBLICAN feels no particular disposition to enter protest against it.

But in this matter of the wheelmen the question is an entirely different one; here the issue is squarely drawn between regard and disregard for religious sentiment. Generally speaking, they may still have such manner of Sunday as they please. They may ride their centuries, scorch or run races other than under the league's sanction. The sole question before the league was this: Shall this body officially recognize and indorse races which are objectionable to millions of American citizens? It decided that it should not, and if there were not a churchman in the league it might well have reached the same conclusion; to set amusement to one side in regard for beliefs that are sacred to many, is a commendable action.

If for this reason, and none other, the California wheelmen, sever themselves from the league, they will have done not a little toward adding to the prevalent opinion that this is a state where crudity and lack of respect for the religion of others go hand in hand.

THE Los Angeles *Times* has received information that the question of the location of a deep-water harbor for Southern California has been decided in favor of San Pedro by the harbor commission. A similar decision has repeatedly heretofore been reached by government engineers and boards of engineers, but it is to be hoped that in this instance the influence of the Southern Pacific Company will not be sufficient to nullify the decision, as it heretofore has done. And, in expressing this hope, the influence of the Southern Pacific need not be underestimated. Up to this time it has sufficed to overcome the verdicts of government engineers, the undoubted will of the people and even the very argument which nature supplies in behalf of San Pedro. San Pedro is to some extent, at least, a natural harbor; Santa Monica is just as much a harbor as many other places lying along the open ocean, and no more so. There is no argument in favor of Santa Monica except that the Southern Pacific Company completely controls its wharfage, but this one invalid argument has been sufficient to defeat San Pedro's rightful claims to recognition for these many years. It is believable now that this absurd condition is past and that the latest decision will be acted upon favorably. And in the event that it is, the REPUBLICAN will congratulate Los Angeles and all of Southern California. There is no reason why they should not have a deep-water harbor down there, nor is there any reason why it should not be in the place that nature suggests for it. On the contrary, there are the best of reasons why such a harbor should be perfected as soon as possible.

THE VALLEY EDITORS.

The editors of newspapers published in the San Joaquin valley can set a good example to the rest of the people of the valley and to all interests by attending the meeting in this city next Saturday and aiding in the formation of a strong and influential press association. With the press working in harmony for the general welfare of the valley, there ought to be little trouble in bringing about the harmonious action of all people interested in promoting the development of this portion of the state.

It is largely through united effort that such magnificent results have been accomplished in southern California, and it is time for the people of the great fertile region of the San Joaquin to profit by the example of their southern neighbors. The Merced *Sun*, to which paper credit is due for calling the meeting to be held on Saturday, says encouraging reports have come from the editorial fraternity. In its issue of yesterday the *Sun* says:

The organization of a valley press association at Fresno next Saturday will doubtless be a grand success. Personal letters from more than twenty of the editors of the valley have been received, expressing gratification that the meeting has been called and assuring us of their intention to be present. The organization will be of great value to the San Joaquin valley as well as to the newspapers represented.

The REPUBLICAN hopes that every paper in the valley will be represented, and that the anticipation of its promoters will be fulfilled. The importance of the work to be accomplished justifies the expectation that it will.

IT is gratifying to know that there is one government in Europe which does not bend the pregnant hinges of its knee that thrift may follow indifference to the appeals of Christians for protection from the brutal Turk. All honor to little Greece. One of the smaller and weaker governments of the old world, she alone dares to defy the blood-thirsty followers of Mohamed and their allies, the Christian (?) powers. Greece is a pigmy beside England or Russia, but in moral courage she stands head and shoulders above those cowardly, policy-serving nations of the old world. May the old Spartan spirit assert itself until in very shame the great powers shall come to the defense of right and justice.

EDITOR ROWLEY of the *California Fruit Grower* will read a paper on "Diversified Farming" before the Farmers' Institute in Fresno, and Professor Jaffa of the State University will give an address on "Scientific Dairying." No farmer in the county can afford to miss this institute. There will be subjects under discussion of practical interest to every tiller of the soil.

SAN FRANCISCO is a wealthy city, and should be able to meet the needs of her unemployed without outside assistance. Other large cities of denser population, and with a larger percentage of people unable to provide for themselves have done so, and it is not creditable that the metropolis of the Pacific coast should be less capable in works of charity.

RANDOM REMARKS.

The Chico woman who was caught in the act of shoplifting in San Francisco, may congratulate herself. She is "prominent," and it follows as the night the day that it must be kleptomania that ails her.

The newspaper which secures the exclusive right to print the jawbone duet of Corbett and Fitzsimmons, and at the same time to publish their latest pictures, has taken a long step in benefiting and uplifting humanity, and is accordingly to be congratulated by those who appreciate that sort of benefit and elevation.

And so, if Greece is to put an end to Turkish atrocities in Crete, she must do it despite the armed protest of the most Christian nations of England, Russia, Italy and France, a thing which is impossible enough. Why, then, let these most Christian nations have done with the hollow form of calling themselves Christian. The perpetuation of barbarism and barbarity were better accomplished in the name of paganism. The deed of these nations shames the name of a civilization that permits it. Is the autonomy of Europe, with the foul Turk beslavering its skirts, of more importance than that humanity whose highest right of life this same Turk sets at defiance? Englishmen, Russians, Frenchmen and Italians have good reason to blush for their countries in this, their latest deed.

An evangelist who is operating in Oakland just now is using a great deal of hell fire in his business, and Dr. Wendte, a Unitarian clergyman, objects. Perhaps he (Wendte) does so without due consideration. It doubtless is a fact that there is a certain order of human being who can only be kept on some sort of a moral plane, though it be a low one, through the influence of fear. Such a being is of a low type, but we have to deal with facts in this world, and it certainly is a fact that he exists. To such a character a literal lake of fire, with its stifling fumes of sulphur, is very necessary. Without it, he would become a moral monster, for that higher side of his nature wherein the love of humanity may be addressed, is as yet dormant. It will wake in a far-off future, but now it must have its hell. Those old fellows knew very well what they did when they constructed their lake of fire and brimstone; they saw human nature as it was, and dealt with it accordingly. Were all men Doctor Wendtes, and were high love the lodestar of all lives, we might retire our orthodox hell to a condition of innocuous desuetude, but while men are such as they are, it is needed. Humanity will be a long way on its upward journey when the lake of fire will be nothing more than a legendary relic of the past.

AN APPEAL TO THE VINDICATORS.

The tall woman with square joints who came into the REPUBLICAN office first put on her spectacles and gazed severely at the managing editor. Then she spoke.

"I have came," she said, "to protest in behalf of the crushed and downtrodden sect of woman, woman which is crushed and downtrodden beneath the remorseless heel of the tyrant man. Ain't she? Hey?"

"She is," said the managing editor, with a wistful glance at the door, on the other side of the woman.

"Yes, she is. I did hope last fall that oppressed woman would be vindicated by the male voters of the aspirating commonwealth, but, owin' to the ruthless tyranny of male man and San Francisco, she wan't. Was she? Hey?"

"She was—"

"What!"

"Was not, I was about to say."

"All right, but you'd better say it quicker. Now I intertain some hopes again. I'm trustin' that this here legislacher will vindicate the rights of crushed and downtrodden woman."

"What makes you think so?"

"'Cause they're such good all-roun' vindicators. Look at Duckworthy's case, f'rexample. Do you allow that men what vindicated Duckworthy would hesitation about vindicatin' crushed and downtrodden woman? Do you? Hey?"

"N-n-no. I never said—"

"You'd better not, either. I have writ a ode to the legislachers which is called 'A Appeal to the Vindicatin' and Triumphin' Assemblage of California.' Will you publish it? Hey?"

"I—I—"

"Will you publish it?"

"I—I will."

"You'd better!"

"The 'Appeal' follows. The managing editor wishes it understood that he is only formally responsible for the publication. There are extraneous circumstances that control such matters, which cannot always be mentioned to the public.

Oh, legislachers, which has set
Your seal of approbation
On Duckworth's attaches, and yet
Is strong on vindication,
While you are vindicatin' round,
In floods of mercy swimmin',
Jus' let your soothin' grace abound
And vindicate us wimmin'.

Oh, vindicate her, anyhow,
Your crushed, downtrodden sister;
Let memory loudly tell thee now
How often you have kissed her.
We'll fall upon your marble necks,
Our eyes with tears bedimmin',
And make your shirt fronts sodden wrecks,
If you'll set free us wimmin'.

There ain't a thing beneath the sun
That you can't vindicate it;
Or if there is a single one,
I'd like to hear you state it.
So, while you're kind o' sloshin' round,
In floods of mercy swimmin',
Jus' let your soothin' grace abound
And vindicate us wimmin'.

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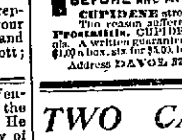

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Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of James L. Purvis, deceased.

IT APPEARING TO THIS COURT BY THE petition this day presented and filed by L. H. Church, administrator of the estate of the above-named decedent, that it is necessary to sell the whole, or some portion of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts due from said decedent and the expenses and charges of administration, it is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent appear before said Superior court on Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1897, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of Department Number Two of said court, at the court house in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, to show cause why an order should not be given to said L. H. Church, administrator of said estate, to sell so much of the said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks prior to said date in the Fresno Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in the county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1897.

J. R. WEBB,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Everts & Ewing, attorneys for administrator. f6td

Notice of Commissioner's Sale Under Decree and Order of Sale.

In the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno.

Edward A. Von Schmidt, plaintiff, vs. Alfred W. Von Schmidt, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE and order of sale of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, made and entered on the tenth day of June, 1895, in the above entitled action in said Superior court, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree and order of sale against the defendant, Alfred W. Von Schmidt, on the tenth day of June, 1895, which said judgment and decree was on the tenth day of June, 1895, recorded in decree book 7 of said court at page 467 et seq., I am commanded as commissioner appointed by said court to sell the following described property situated in said county of Fresno, in the state of California, described as follows, to-wit:

That certain piece or parcel of land situate in said county and state, and described as the northeast quarter of section 19, township 13 south, range 21 east, M. D. B. M.; together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining;

And also all of the personal property situate upon said real property and described as follows: Ten head of horses, one colt, one set single harness, one set double harness, all plows, harrows, cultivators, and other farming implements on said premises, and the distilling machinery, tanks, pipes, wine presses, barrels, kegs, and other vessels, steam engine and boiler, machinery, tools and implements, and all trays and sweat boxes; all being situate upon and used in connection with the above described real property.

And public notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the eleventh day of February, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the west door of the court house of said county of Fresno, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, I will, as such commissioner, in obedience to such order and decree of sale, sell at public auction the above described property, and all thereof, pursuant to and to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States.

Dated January 12th, 1897.

M. B. HARRIS,
Commissioner appointed by said court.

F. H. Short, Attorney for plaintiff.

By order of the plaintiff's attorney, and request of the defendant in the above-entitled action, the above sale, as to all of the personal property therein described, was, on the day and hour and at the time and place of sale above-specified, and after a sale of the real property in said notice described, continued to and is hereby continued to and set for, and the said personal property and all thereof will be sold at or near the residence situate upon the real property in the above notice particularly described, and the said personal property will be sold at the place aforesaid, on Thursday, the 18th day of February, 1897, at the hour of three o'clock p. m. of that day, pursuant to said postponement and this notice and continuation, and in all other respects as specified in the above notice.

Dated February 11th, 1897.

M. B. HARRIS,
Commissioner appointed by said court.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

Sheriff's Sale No. 7668.

The Farmers' Bank of Fresno (a corporation) vs. The St. Mungo Fruit Growing Company (a corporation.)

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of the State of California, wherein The Farmers' Bank of Fresno (a corporation) was plaintiff, and The St. Mungo Fruit Growing Company (a corporation) was defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 7th day of December, A. D. 1896, for the sum of nine hundred twenty-eight 50-100 dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, and upon which there remained due and unpaid January 21, 1897, $176 31-100, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of section twelve (12) in township fifteen (15) south range twenty-one (21) east M. D. B. and M.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Wednesday, the 17th day of February, A. D. 1897, at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, of in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated Fresno, Cal., January 23, 1897.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.

j24 By L. A. SPENCER, Under Sheriff.

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of Lizzie Ewing, sometimes known as Lizzie M. Ewing, deceased.

IT APPEARING TO THIS COURT BY THE petition this day presented and filed by L. H. Church, administrator of the estate of the above-named decedent, that it is necessary to sell the whole, or some portion of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts due from said decedent and the expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered, that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent to appear before said Superior court on Monday, the 1st day of March, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court room of Department Number One of said court, at the court house in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, to show cause why an order should not be given to said L. H. Church, administrator of said estate, to sell so much of the said real estate as shall be necessary and that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks prior to said date in the Fresno Morning Republican, a newspaper printed and published in the county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated this 25th day of January, 1897.

E. W. RISLEY,
Superior Judge.

Everts & Ewing, Attorneys for administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Mary Atkinson, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, B. M. Stone, the administrator of the estate of Mary Atkinson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of H. H. Welsh, Esq., attorney at law, rooms 7 and 8, Farmers' Bank building, city of Fresno, Fresno county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Fresno, state of California.

B. M. STONE,
Administrator of the estate of Mary Atkinson, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, January 19, 1897.

George Cosgrave, Attorney for administrator.

Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of Peter Barisich, an insolvent debtor.

PETER BARISICH HAVING FILED IN THIS court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Peter Barisich is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the sheriff of the county of Fresno, be, and he is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of said Peter Barisich, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession are hereby directed to deliver the said property to said sheriff. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been filed with the clerk of said court at least two days prior to the date next hereinafter named, be and appear before the Hon. J. R. Webb, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, in open court at the court room, of said court, in the county of Fresno, on the 17th day of February, 1897, at 9.30 o'clock a.m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN, a daily newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Fresno, as often as the said newspaper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated February 8th, A. D., 1897.

J. R. WEBB,
Judge of the Superior Court.

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This week we quote some remarkable bargains from each department—bargains that will make records for themselves:

Dress Goods.

30 Dress Patterns in Figured Lustre, black and colored a great bargain, at $2.80 per pattern.

10 pieces All-Wool Serge, in navy and black, 46 inches wide, for 45c yard.

House Furnishing Goods.

5 pieces Bleached Table Damask, 60 inches wide, will not last long at the price, 25c yard.

5 pieces Turkey Red (oil boiled) Damask, extra quality, at 25c yard.

25 pairs Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 59 inches wide, great value, at $1 pair.

Gents' Wear.

50 dozen Gents' Scarf Ties at 25c, the kind that sells for 50c, all new spring styles.

10 dozen Gents' Colored Bosom Shirts at 75c, quality that has been selling for $1.25.

Sachs & Heringhi,

THE LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

Sole Agents for P. Centimori & Co.'s Kid Gloves.

Summons.

In the superior court of the county of Fresno, State of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. J. P. Koch, Robert Mack, E. B. Perrin, D. J. Guggenhime, E. M. Stieljes, Frank H. Short, C. H. Williams, Sarah A. Williams, The Fresno Land Company, a corporation, John Doe and Mary Roe, defendants.

Action brought in the superior court of the county of Fresno, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said county. J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIfornia send greeting to J. P. Koch, Robert Mack, E. B. Perrin, D. J. Guggenhime, E. M. Stieljes, Frank H. Short, C. H. Williams, Sarah A. Williams, The Fresno Land Company, a corporation, John Doe and Mary Roe, defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the superior court of the county of Fresno, State of California, to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days, exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this summons if served within this county, or if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this court for foreclosure of a mortgage, described in said complaint, made, executed and delivered, by said defendants, J. P. Koch and Robert Mack, to said defendant, E. B. Perrin and one J. B. Randol, on the 9th day of December, 1890, to secure payment of a promissory note of same date described in said mortgage and complaint, made, executed and delivered by said defendants, Koch and Mack, to said defendant, Perrin and said Randol, payable four years after date, for the sum of $13,000.00 with interest at the rate of seven—7—per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, and if not so paid to be compounded.

That said mortgage was recorded in Recorder's office, Fresno county, in Vol. 75 of mortgages, page 392, et seq., and effects that certain real property, situated in Fresno county, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 212, 213, 214, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 143, 144, 147, 109, 110, 148, east ½ of 103, 205, 206, 207, 208, 201, east ½ of 183, east ½ of 184, containing together about four hundred and ten—410—acres as laid down and designated on the map thereof, entitled, map of Perrin Colony No. 2, which map was filed for record in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county, on the eight—8—day of October, 1890, and is hereby referred to for further or more description.

Plaintiff alleges that on December 27th, 1890, said Randol, assigned all of his interest in said note and mortgage to said defendant Perrin and thereupon said defendant Perrin, assigned said note and mortgage to plaintiff herein, who is still the holder and owner of said promissory note and mortgage.

That at the request of defendant E. B. Perrin, and defendants J. P. Koch and Robert Mack, plaintiff released the west half of number two hundred and thirteen, all of lots (201, 207, 208, 143, 181) two hundred and one, two hundred and seven, two hundred and eight, one hundred and forty-three, and one hundred and eighty-one, have been released from the operation of said mortgage.

Plaintiff alleges that there is now due and unpaid on said promissory note and mortgage to plaintiff, the sum of $13,000 00 with interest thereon from December 9th, 1890, at the rate of seven—7—per cent per annum, all in gold coin of the United States.

Plaintiff further alleges that the value of the property described in said mortgage is not sufficient to discharge the amounts due to the plaintiff upon said promissory note and that said property produces an income from rents which should be equitably applied in satisfaction of said debt; and that it is necessary in order to protect the plaintiff, that a receiver of said property should be appointed in this action to collect the said rents and to apply them as this court may direct by its decree in this action.

Plaintiff prays for judgment against defendants J. P. Koch and Robert Mack, for $13,000.00 in gold coin and interest thereon at seven—7—per cent per annum from December 9th, 1890.

That a receiver be appointed by the court in this action upon the filing of the complaint, or at any time thereafter upon plaintiff's motion to take possession of said premises, and to receive the rents, issues and profits thereof, and to apply them as this court by its final decree may direct.

That the usual decree be made for the sale of said mortgaged property for gold coin of the United States by a commissioner appointed by this court, according to law and the practice of this court; that the proceeds of such sale be applied to the expense of such sale, and to the payment of the judgment in this action; that all of said defendants and all persons claiming from or under them or from or under either of them subsequent to the execution and recording of said mortgage as aforesaid, be barred and forever foreclosed of and from all right, claim or equity of redemption in said described mortgaged real property, and every part and parcel thereof.

That the plaintiff or any other party to this action may become the purchaser at said sale. That a proper and sufficient deed of conveyance of said real property when so sold be executed to the purchaser, and that said purchaser be let into the possession of such real property and for judgment against the makers of said note for any deficiency. And for such other and further relief in the premises as shall appear to be meet and agreeable to equity, as will more fully appear by reference to said complaint.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, this 11th day of December, 1896.

[Seal of the Superior Court.] T. G. HART, Clerk.

By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy clerk.

Indorsed,
No. 7543.
Superior court, county of Fresno, department No. 2, the California Savings and Loan Society, vs. J. P. Koch et al. defendants. Summons of foreclosure of mortgage. J. F. COWDERY, Attorney for plaintiff.

Summons.

In the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

The San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway Company, plaintiff, vs. Eleanor J. Ball, Frank H. Ball, her husband, Robert Balfour, and Robert Brodie Forman, defendants.

Special proceeding brought in the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said county.

The people of the state of California send greeting to Eleanor J. Ball, Frank H. Ball, her husband, Robert Balfour, and Robert Brodie Forman, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in a special proceeding brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said special proceeding is brought to condemn for public use, to-wit, for the right-of-way of a railroad operated by steam, electricity or any other motive power, to be constructed, owned, maintained and operated by plaintiff between the city and county of San Francisco, state of California, and a point in the county of Kern, in the vicinity of the city of Bakersfield, in said state, that certain tract or parcel of land owned and claimed by you, said defendants, situate in said county of Fresno, and described as follows, to-wit:

A strip or tract of land, situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, in the northwest quarter of section 14, township 14 south, range 21 east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, said tract being bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at a point where the south line of California avenue (said avenue being the street running between secs. 11 and 14, township 14) intersects the east line of East avenue; thence running in a southerly direction along said east line of East avenue a distance of 2580 feet more or less, to an intersection with the north line of Church avenue; thence running east along said north line of Church avenue a distance of 60 feet; thence running in a northerly direction on a line parallel to the east line of East avenue, and 60 feet distant therefrom, a distance of 2580 feet, more or less, to an intersection with the south line of said California avenue; thence running west along said south line a distance of 60 feet to the point of beginning; said tract containing an area of three and 55-100 acres, more or less; said described land being a part of a larger tract owned and claimed by you, said defendants, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein, to which reference is hereby made for a particular description of the specific parcel sought to be condemned, and for other particulars.

And you are hereby notified to appear and show cause why the property described should not be condemned as prayed for in the complaint.

And you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, this 20th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

[SEAL.] T. G. HART, Clerk.

E. F. Preston and H. H. Welsh, Plaintiff's attorneys.

BANKING HOUSES.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FRESNO.

THE OLDEST BANK IN FRESNO COUNTY.

Capital............ $100,000
Surplus and undivided profits............ 155,000

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

—OF—

THE FARMERS' BANK OF FRESNO

Showing its financial condition at the close of business January 1st, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Bank premises, furniture and fixtures	[illegible] 00
Other Real Estate	[illegible]
Loans and Discounts	393,319 48
Wheat Loans	9,035 00
County Warrants	100 00
Collections in transit	5,458 17
Other Assets	972 24
Cash on Hand	71,588 47
Due from Banks	26,363 84
Total Resources	$531,031 71

LIABILITIES.

Capital St	$200,000 00
Reserve Fund	10,000 00
Undivided Profits	15,083 97
Certified Checks	20 00
Due Depositors	294,927 74
Total Liabilities	$530,031 71

FRESNO NATIONAL BANK.

Opposite the Postoffice.

Paid up capital............ $200,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits............ 20,000.00

JOHN McMULLIN, President.
F. P. WICKERSHAM, Vice President,
C. ALLISON TELFER, Cashier.

Directors—John McMullin, F. P. Wickersham, D. A. Reed, F. D. Vanderlip, Arch A. Smith, Thos. W. Patterson, W. F. McVey.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

Bank of Central California

At the close of business December 31st, 1896:

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$61,510 96
Cash due from banks and bankers	84,194 94
Total available cash	$145,715 90
Stocks, bond and warrants	14,480 40
Loans and discounts	238,405 65
Real estate	62,069 21
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Other assets	605 95
Total assets	$466,091 11

LIABILITIES.

Capital (paid up)	$200,000 00
Surplus	2,000 00
Undivided profits	10,280 36
Due depositors	248,810 75
Total liabilities	$466,091 11

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BARLEY BOUGHT, ROLLED & SOLD
Patent Kitchen Tables, $2.75.
Egg Cases, Complete, 65c.
Headquarters for Window Glass
Bee Men's Supplies a specialty.
Strawberry Baskets and Crates

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE principal place of business of the San Joaquin Valley Coal Mining Co. will be removed from the city of Fresno, Cal., to the city of Hanford, Kings County, Cal.; said notice is published in accordance with the provisions of section 321, Civil code, of California.

E. KAUNTZE, Secretary

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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN.

Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, February 16—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Barometer	30.01
Temperature	56
Sensible Temperature	49
Humidity, per cent	60
Wind, E (miles per hour)	5
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	54
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	59
Total Rainfall past 36 hours, inches	.00
Total Rainfall for season, inches	7.92

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 16.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 5 p.m., February 17.—Northern California—Generally fair Wednesday, cooler in the south portion; probably severe frosts Wednesday night, which may be dangerous to blossoming fruit; brisk northerly winds.

Southern California—Fair in south portion; probably showers in northern portion Wednesday morning, followed by fair; colder Wednesday night; brisk northerly winds.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of parties caught stealing or defacing REPUBLICAN boxes which are placed in front of the residences of colony subscribers.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Hear Miss Stevens
And Mrs. Ockenden
Tonight at Armory hall.

Republican caucuses tonight.

Oranges, $1 per 100 at 355 J street.

Harness and saddles at Schweizer's.

Ladies' '97 Cleveland at Warnekros'.

Gray horse lost. See classified advertisement.

Masquerade ball Friday night. Einstein hall.

The Neally Stevens recital tonight, Wednesday, February 17th.

No Republican should forget the caucuses tonight. They will be held in every precinct in the city.

At the request of many friends Mrs. Ockenden has kindly consented to recite at the Neally Stevens recital.

Don't forgot the military ball at Armory hall on the evening of Washington's birthday, Monday, February 22d.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Company yesterday brought suit against John W. Pyott et al. to compel conveyance.

The Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company has brought suit against G. B. Garbarino et al. to foreclose a water right.

The City Board of Education has adopted the new course of study planned by Superintendent Roby for the grammar and primary grades.

Lucia Sablan has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Mateo Sablan, deceased. The value of the estate does not exceed $260.

For $2.75 you can get both the WEEKLY REPUBLICAN and the *Interior* (Fresno's illustrated monthly) for one year. Send orders to REPUBLICAN office.

W. de Lashmutt, R. E. Zimmerman, L. Garrett, Donald Patton and W. C. Wolf have been appointed officers of the Humane Society of the Selma district.

W. H. Crocker brought suit in the superior court yesterday against E. R. Higgins et al. to foreclose a mortgage given to secure a promissory note of $1430.

Dont fail to hear J. W. Webb on "Jokes and Joking" if you want to have a good laugh. Social to follow. Admission, 25 cents, including refreshments.

Him Kee, charged with dealing in Chinese lottery tickets, pleaded guilty in Justice St. John's court yesterday. He will be sentenced this morning at 10 o'clock.

Members of Companies C and F are hereby ordered to appear at the Armory on Thursday evening, February 18th, at 8 o'clock for battalion drill. By order of Maj. Chisholm.

By order of assignee I will sell seventeen head of work horses at auction on Thursday, February 18th, at 10 a. m. at Cutten's old stable, corner J and Inyo streets. Big chance for bargains. C. H. Swett.

Deputy Constable Crutcher yesterday afternoon arrested Ah Lee, charged with selling Chinese lottery tickets. Ah Lee gave bonds in the sum of $250 for his appearance. E. M. Augustine swore to the complaint against him.

About 9 o'clock last night lightning struck the wires of the San Joaquin Electric Light Company in the foothills, and temporarily disabled the machinery at the power house. The lights in this city all went out for a few minutes. No damage was done to the machinery.

Another Special

Delivery of beautiful embroideries just received at Wiener's dry goods department, Wiener block, 1815 Tulare street. They are assorted in Swiss, cambric and muslin, and will be put on special sale on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the give-away price of 10 cents a yard. These goods are in beautiful designs and easily worth three times the price we ask for them. We shall also continue during these three days to offer the remaining portion of our remnant stock at the same unheard-of prices. Kindly note our sale days—Thursday, February 18th; Friday, 19th, and Saturday, 20th —at Wiener's dry goods department, 1815 Tulare street. *

You Will Be Surprised

At the low prices that you can buy guitars, violins, banjos, mandolins and all kinds of Musical Goods at O. H. Riege's.*

From Philadelphia "Evening News."

Miss Neally Stevens made her first appearance in Philadelphia Saturday evening before an audience that fairly taxed the seating capacity of Association hall. Her rendering of a program sufficiently varied to display her powers convinced the audience that no superior lady artist had ever visited this city. She possesses an easy poetic manner, which captivates her hearers. She is endowed with sufficient strength and endurance to render the complicated works of her great tutor, Franz Liszt, with perfect ease. *

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Pacific Market.

Dealers in all kinds of meat. Cash paid for fat stock. Also stock cattle wanted. Petersen Bros., 2130 Fresno street. *

The Valley railroad has brought condemnation proceedings against William S. Kendall et al. and the Del Rio Fig and Raisin Company. The defendants are property owners on the Reedley route of the Valley road and having refused to grant rights of way the company was compelled to sue.

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MARSHAL WOY SPEAKS

His Attitude Toward the Chinese Lotteries.

HAS TRIED TO SUPPRESS THEM

Made Many Arrests, But Never Secured an Effective Conviction.

City Marshal Woy was requested yesterday by a REPUBLICAN reporter to explain his attitude toward the Chinese lotteries, his alleged refusal to close which has caused the *Expositor* to charge him with dereliction of duty. Mr. Woy did not hesitate to express himself on the subject, though evidently of the opinion that the animus of the *Expositor's* attack rendered it unworthy of much attention. He believed that the exigencies of politics had caused the *Expositor* to make this fight against him.

"I have ever since my election to the office of city marshal labored faithfully to perform the duties of the position, and I am perfectly willing to abide by the judgment of my fellow citizens on this question," began Mr. Woy. "The truth is that I have done all in my power to close up these lotteries, to which I am as strongly opposed as any one else. I have used all the machinery at my command, have raided these dens, appropriated the paraphernalia, and made arrests, but without any lasting result.

"During the last eighteen months some twelve arrests of Chinese lottery dealers have been made, but only one conviction was obtained. The Chinaman convicted was tried in Recorder Clark's court, but as far as I am aware he has never been punished, so the conviction in this case amounted to nothing. What the status of the case is I do not at present know. An odd circumstance in connection with it is that the convicted Chinaman's partner was also tried before a jury, and though equally guilty he was acquitted.

"All this was certainly very unsatisfactory and certainly showed that the law was weak somewhere—twelve trials and not one conviction! Every one of these lottery dealers demands a jury trial and the result is that they are invariably acquitted. Where is the fault? The *Expositor* would place the blame upon me, but the facts show that I have done my duty in the matter. All I was empowered to do I accomplished. My officers and I raided the lotteries, broke down doors, tumbled through skylights through which we had been watching the Chinamen, secured the strongest evidence, all of which was presented to the different juries; yet only in one instance was there a conviction, and that, as I stated before, seems to have amounted to nothing.

"All I ask is a fair deal, and it appears to me that fairness should prompt the admission that I have shown my opposition to these lotteries and done my best to suppress them. I have gone as far as I could in the matter, but my authority stops with the arrest of the offenders and the securing of evidence against them. I cannot usurp the powers of a judge or jury. I might also say in this connection that there is absolutely nothing in the city ordinance directing me or the officers under me to engage in anti-Chinese lottery raids. These people violate a state law and their arrest and prosecution are among the duties of the township and county officers. However, I believe every peace officer owes it to the community to suppress all sorts of lawlessness and I have never stood back merely because the law did not expressly authorize me to perform this or that duty.

"In regard to the attempt of a reporter of the *Expositor* to have a man arrested because he had a lottery ticket in his possession, I would point out that this part of the law has never had any effect. The supreme court long ago decided that the possession by a person of a lottery ticket does not imply that he obtained it in this state, and it is easy to understand how this decision nullified the law in this regard. There is something I came near forgetting to mention, by the way, and that is that the cases of the two last lottery dealers arrested were transferred to Fowler for trial, it being hoped that convictions would be secured there. The result was exactly the same. The defendants asked for jury trials and were acquitted. It cannot be said that the evidence was insufficient; it was more than sufficient.

"I will give all the assistance in my power to any officer wishing to proceed against the Chinese law breakers, but from my experience I am not encouraged to hope for any satisfactory results.

"It is rather odd that this attack upon me should come from Mr. Goucher, who not long before my election, under a Democratic city marshal, paraded the streets with a shotgun threatening people's lives. I may not perform my official duty according to the high standard of Senator Goucher, but I certainly would not have permitted the exhibition he gave had I been city marshal at that time. It also seems to me that the very paper that is now so hot after the Chinese lottery men advised the cessation of proceedings against them on the ground that they were futile and only imposed an additional burden upon the taxpayers. Perhaps a look backward on the *Expositor* files will reveal something interesting in regard to this.

"I have never needed to be spurred to the performance of my duty and do not require any spurring now, but I refuse to be dictated to by a paper whose object in attacking me must be plain to all."

FAST HORSES WILL ATTEND.

L. Rockman's Efforts in Behalf of the Fresno Spring Meeting.

L. Rockman returned yesterday morning from San Francisco, where he has been working in the interests of the meet to be given at the race track some time during the spring. Mr. Rockman is much pleased with the success of his efforts among the horsemen of the coast in interesting them in the Fresno meeting. He was assured that some of the best racers now running at Ingleside and at Oakland would be here. Mr. Rockman will give a five days' meet at Fresno, and following this will hold one at Bakersfield, where he has secured the track. By offering the advantage of two meetings he was enabled to induce the horsemen to take more readily to the proposition of coming down the valley.

Manager Rockman expects to secure reduced rates on the railroads from all points in the valley to Fresno during the week of racing.

While in the bay city Mr. Rockman purchased a starting gate, which are in use on all the up-to-date tracks in the world. This will be a great improvement and starters will hereafter not be needed.

FUNERAL OF C. OLIVA.

The Remains Sent to Stockton for Interment.

The funeral services of Columbus Oliva were held yesterday forenoon from the residence of the brother-in-law of the deceased, Judge S. L. Carter, under the auspices of the two local lodges of the Knights of Pythias. The deceased was a member of Centennial lodge, No. 38, at Stockton.

Rev. F. D. Seward preached the sermon, and members of the Presbyterian church choir sang a few selections. The pallbearers were J. H. Sayre, R. Pilegard, W. D. Crichton, A. A. Smith, H. O. Buker and N. P. Justy.

The Knights escorted the remains to the Valley road depot, whence they were sent on the afternoon train to Stockton for interment.

VALLEY ROAD NOTES.

Land Leased for the Storage of Track Materials.

The Valley road company has leased from W. D. Foote an acre in the alfalfa patch on the Hughes place, just east of the depot grounds, on which to store materials for the track south of Fresno. There are already large quantities of rails and ties piled in the yard, and the renting of the acre of ground was necessitated by its crowded condition. It is the intention to ship another big lot of materials to Fresno for storage, to be used in construction southward as required.

The roundhouse near the south end of the yard is going up rapidly, the brick walls being near completion.

Frank H. Ball and wife went to San Francisco yesterday morning to execute the deed to the railroad company for the right of way through their vineyard, for which the arbitration board awarded them $4000 a few days ago.

THE VOLUNTEERS' BAND.

It Will Give Concerts Every Evening During the Week.

The western regimental band of the Volunteers of America arrived in the city yesterday morning, to remain here till next Monday. Concerts will be given every evening, and the first one, which took place last night, was well attended. The members of the band are excellent musicians and are well worth hearing.

Samuel White is the director, and the following is the personnel of the band: Captain Howard Mills, Lieutenant T. Francis Crotty, Lieutenant George Hescock, and Cadets Dean, Care, Allen, Ahr and Allen. Each member is a Volunteer evangelist. Last night's concert was held at Armory hall, but tonight's will be given at the armory of the Volunteers on J street, a few doors south of the postoffice.

DEPRIVED OF A DEPUTY

THE SUPERVISORS PRACTICE MORE ECONOMY.

They Use the Pruning Knife on the District Attorney's Office.

When District Attorney Snow returns from his trip to Hanford he will learn that the supervisors have deprived him of one of his deputies. How Mr. Snow will view this action of the board is a matter of conjecture, but it may be presumed that it will not make his heart bound with joy.

The act of decapitation was performed yesterday afternoon, and the debonair and efficient Mr. Freman was the victim. Supervisor Smith made a motion that the order heretofore made by the board authorizing the district attorney to appoint an assistant at a salary of $1500 a year be rescinded, revoked and set aside, and that the clerk be directed to notify the district attorney and auditor of the action of the board. Supervisor Rose seconded the motion and all but Garrett voted for it.

G. C. Freman was first appointed a deputy by District Attorney Snow under subdivision 21 of section 170 of the county government act of 1893. F. F. Letcher, then a member of the Board of Supervisors, was opposed to the appointment and subsequently brought suit to enjoin the auditor from drawing any warrant in favor of Mr. Freman. The case was heard before Judge Risley, who gave judgment against Freman, declaring the act of 1893 unconstitutional.

Subsequently, however, Mr. Freman was appointed assistant to Mr. Snow by the supervisors under subdivision 36 of section 20 of the county government act. Later on Judge Webb rendered a decision contrary to that of Judge Risley, and the several county officers are now working with the deputies provided by the act of 1893.

There is no question that, having made the appointment, the supervisors had a right to revoke it. It remains to be seen, however, whether Mr. Snow will appoint Mr. Freman a deputy, for under the law of 1893 he is entitled to three assistants. If he does this the supervisors may reopen the question of the constitutionality of the act and stop the payment of all the deputies appointed under it, for if Mr. Freman's appointment is invalid the rest of them must be.

Of course considerable confusion will be the result until the matter has been finally adjudicated upon, but if the Tulare people can stand it it is to be presumed our people can. The deputies in Tulare county have received no salary for a year, all owing to the difference in the construction of the act of 1893. A case was recently submitted to the supreme court and an early decision is expected which will put an end to this vexatious state of affairs.

The appointment of Mr. Freman was revoked on the ground of economy.

Wants $25,000 Damages.

Mary A. Freeland began an action for damages in the superior court yesterday against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. She alleges that on July 16, 1896, owing to the carelessness of the defendant, one of its trains ran down James Freeland, her husband, inflicting injuries that resulted fatally. Mrs. Freeland asks for damages in the sum of $25,000. George Cosgrave is the plaintiff's attorney.

Box Social at Malaga.

The patrons of the Malaga School will give a box social at the hall on Friday evening, February 19th, to raise money for the purchase of trees for the school grounds. A good program is promised. All invited.

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THE ORPHANAGE TEA

PLEASANT EVENT AT THE HOME OF MRS. L. L. GRAY.

A Success Socially and Financially. Mrs. J. D. Gray, the Ex-President, Honored.

The tea given by the ladies of the county orphanage at the home of Mrs. Lee L. Gray yesterday afternoon was a very successful affair. Besides the enjoyment of a very pleasant afternoon a neat sum was realized to be used towards the maintenance of the county's orphans. Everybody responded liberally in behalf of the worthy cause, and the ladies are so much encouraged over the success of the tea that they are contemplating giving a number of them.

Mrs. Gray, who had so kindly thrown open her pretty home on north J street for the occasion, added considerable to its success by her energetic efforts in its behalf. The interior of the residence was tastily decorated with violets and evergreens.

The tea lasted from 2 o'clock till evening, and many visitors called. They were received by the officers of the orphanage association. The tea and accompanying delicacies were served by Misses Betty Maupin, Elsie Smith, Grace Reichman and Miss Stinson. The young ladies were attired in handsome gowns, and they had a busy time of it in serving the many guests.

The reception was interspersed during the afternoon with singing and instrumental music. Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Stinson of San Jose, Miss Balthis and E. O. White. Miss Elsie Smith, Miss Reichman and Miss Lathey played selections on the piano.

It was not till 5 o'clock that the gentlemen began to arrive, quite a number of them calling. Many who did not come sent offerings.

One of the pleasantest features of the afternoon was the presentation of a handsome brush and comb to Mrs. J. D. Gray, who for the past two years has been the efficient president of the orphanage association. The token was presented by Mrs. J. J. Seymour in behalf of the board. Mrs. Gray was at the head of the organization during its infancy, and much of its success is due to her hard work.

Wedding Announced.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Alfred Kutner, the local manager for the Kutner-Goldstein Company, to Miss Tessie Kutner of San Francisco. The event will take place in that city at the residence of the bride's parents, on Sunday, March 7th. The prospective bride is a daughter of the senior member of the firm.

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From "Cincinnati Times-Star."

Neally Stevens caught the honors of the day. She played with the orchestra the Liszt "Concerto in E flat."

Her playing was brilliant, indeed—vigorous, splendid and thoroughly artistic. The great audience seemed to hang in rapture upon her every note, and she soon had everybody figuratively at her feet. *

Lecture by J. W. Webb.

J. W. Webb the well-known popular lecturer and story teller lectures on "Jokes and Joking," old High School building, Thursday, February 18th, for benefit of Christian Church building fund. Social to follow. Admission, 25 cents; children, 15 cents. *

Seats for "Chimmie Fadden."

Charles Hopper and his excellent company in "Chimmie Fadden" will be the attraction at the Barton on next Monday night, February 22d. The sale of seats commences at the theater box office on Thursday morning.

Notice.

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WILDFLOWER ITEMS.

Directions for the Rabbit Drive at Monroe on the 20th.

We have had a copious supply of rain in our locality. The grain fields are verdant and everybody predicts a good year.

A social dance was given at the Wildflower warehouse last Friday evening. A large crowd was present, some coming from Selma and Kingsburg. During the evening several new fancy dances were introduced, among them being the "grapevine twist" and the "rattlesnake back."

A few coyotes have been seen in our neighborhood lately. It would be well for the farmers to guard their sheep and keep chicken houses locked.

Charles Lindop has removed his store to Selma.

Ira Johnson has withdrawn from the Bachelors' Club and departed for Missouri. Is it a case of another young Lochinvar who has gone out of the West?

Notices have been posted for a rabbit drive to take place at Monroe, seven miles south of Malaga, on Saturday, February 20th, at 9 o'clock. The corral will be located on the old Yeargen place, three miles northwest of Wildflower. Directions for the assembling of those who wish to take part in the drive have been given as follows: Those coming from Easton and Caruthers meet at the old Bevin ranch; those coming from Fresno, Oleander and Malaga meet at the old Jackrabbit Johnson ranch; those coming from Fowler and Sanger meet at William Noble's ranch, and those coming from Selma, Kingsburg and Wildflower meet at Thomas Martin's ranch. No guns or dogs will be allowed at the drive.

The Franklin Literary Society held its regular meeting last Saturday night. A large and appreciative audience was present. The following interesting program was rendered:

Instrumental music; song, duet, Bessie Loomis, Flora Davis; recitation, "What a Woman Can Do," Cora Wallace; recitation, J. C. Bell; reading, "The Inventor's Wife," Mrs. Bell; music, violin and guitar, Messrs. Loomis and Welker; recitation, "Papa's Letter," Reda Smith; song, "Down in Poverty Row," Ada Smith and Irma Foley; song, "My Angeline," George Pierce; song, "Juanita" (duet), Miss Hobson and Miss McClair; dialogue, reading of the "Franklin Gossip."

In reply to Mr. Porter, the REPUBLICAN correspondent in Kingsburg, I beg leave to say that Wildflower has not yet annexed the Franklin school district to her territory; but feeling the importance and prominence that she is soon to possess by having the Valley road pass through her confines, she, like greater New York, hopes to add the suburban districts to her already extensive domain and become the one big city of Wildflower. In defense of my right to report the Franklin news, I would say that, as the ownership of a piece of land which has been previously unoccupied is in him who first settles on it and appropriates it to his own use, or by the right of occupancy, as Blackstone calls it, so the ownership or the right of reporting the news of any locality is in him who first reports for that locality. Therefore, as "Quill" first reported for the Franklin district, it is by the right of occupancy that he claims that indefeasible privilege. In reply I should like to ask Mr. Porter, What has the importation of Mexican flies into Texas to do with Kingsburg? QUILL.

Wildflower, February 15, 1897.

Football at Modesto.

The long postponed football game between Modesto and Fresno will take place at Modesto on Saturday, February 27th. The local team are to have a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Athletic club for the purpose of arranging details. The reason of the former postponement was the recent heavy rains. The prospects for clear weather are good and the game will, in all likelihood, be a success.

David C. Tucker,

Who is now in charge of the Fresno Undertaking Parlors, 1027 J street, Fresno, embalmed and shipped the body of G. Howard Keel, to his father, Mr. James A. Keel, of Kansas city, Mo., some days ago.

Notwithstanding the bad condition of the body when Mr. Tucker received it, he last evening received word from the father expressing feelings of gratefulness for the excellent condition of the body. *

Dig down to the cause of your sickness, if you want to get well and stay well. Most likely it's indigestion. The irritating poisons of fermenting, putrid food, left in the stomach by indigestion, cause headache, neuralgia, nervousness, dizziness, stomachache, nausea, irritability, and all the other well-known symptoms of indigestion.

They also cause many pains and disorders which are often laid to other causes and hence are not easily cured. But as soon as the poisons are removed, all these symptoms and disorders disappear, because there is nothing left to cause them. Nothing succeeds in this like Shaker Digestive Cordial, because it prevents the undigested food from fermenting in the stomach and helps the stomach to digest its food.

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1 Pitcher, Majolica.
1 Berry Dish.
1 Butter Dish.
1 Oat Meal Set.
1 Cake Plate, Fancy.
1 Cream Pitcher, Fancy.
1 Bohemian Flower Holder.
1 China Preserve Dish.
1 Fancy Cup and Saucer.
3 Wine Glasses.
1 Spoon Holder.
1 Yellow Mixing Bowl.
2 Fancy Mugs.
1 Colored Vase.
3 Table Knives.
1 Yellow Baking Dish.
1 Sugar Bowl.
3 Table Tumblers.
1 Rose Bowl.
1 Preserve Bowl.
3 Egg Cups.
3 Table Forks.
2 Water Goblets.
3 Sauce Dishes.
1 Tea Cup, Decorated.
1 Coffee Cup, Decorated.
1 Pudding Pan.
1 Covered Saucepan.
1 Frying Pan.
1 Flour Sifter.
1 Roast Pan.
1 Dairy Pan.
1 Bread Pan.
1 Cuspidor.
1 Wash Basin, Large.
1 Coffee Pot.

FREE Any of following Articles:

3 Dinner Plates.
1 Majolica Cuspidor.
2 Napkin Rings.
1 Rose Bowl, Fancy.
4 Table Goblets.
1 Cake Stand, on Foot.
1 Butter Dish, Large.
1 Fruit Bowl, on Foot.
1 Candy or Nut Dish.
6 Table Tumblers.
1 Celery Stand.
1 Pair Boquet Holders, Fancy.
1 Bohemian Fern Vase.
2 Fruit Plates, Fancy.
6 Egg Cups, Fancy.
1 Cake Plate, Fancy.
1 Sugar and Cream Set, Fancy.
1 Fancy Shaving Mug.
1 Milk Pitcher, Decorated.
3 Cups and Saucers, Decorated.
1 Child's Cake Set.
1 Platter, Decorated.
1 Salad Bowl, Footed.
1 Water Pitcher.
1 Fancy Cup, Saucer and Plate.
1 Rebecca Tea Pot.
1 Oat Meal Set, Fancy.
3 Breakfast Plates.
1 Vegetable Dish, Decorated.
1 Tankard Pitcher.
1 Salad Dish, Decorated.
1 Sugar Bowl.
6 Dessert Dishes.
1 Berry Set.
1 Sugar Sifter.
1 Pudding Set, 2 Pieces.
1 Fancy Cup and Saucer.
1 Salad Bowl, Square.
6 Table Knives.
6 Table Forks.
1 Chamber Pail.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Carpenter, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Phillip Carpenter, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said estate to present them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the administrator at the offices of Carter & Smith, his attorneys, at rooms 1, 2 and 3, Fresno National Bank building, at the corner of Tulare and J streets, in the city of Fresno, in the county of Fresno, California, which offices have been selected as and are hereby designated as the place of business of said estate.

Dated February 11th, 1897.

G. C. JEWELL,
Administrator of the estate of Phillip Carpenter, deceased.
Carter & Smith, Attorneys for administrator. 11401

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of F. W. Sandstrom, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned executors of the estate of F. W. Sandstrom, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the executors, at the office of Frank H. Short, attorney at law, Fresno National Bank building, Fresno, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated, December 5th, 1896.

CHARLES ERICKSON,
AUGUST THIELE,
Executors of the estate of F. W. Sandstrom, deceased.
Frank H. Short, attorney for executors. dotd

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Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE principal place of business of "Pioneer Pipe Line Company" will be removed from the city of Fresno, California, to the town of Santa Paula, Ventura county, California; and that application will be made to the secretary of state of the state of California to have the charter so amended. This notice is published in accordance with the requirements of the provisions of the Civil Code of California.

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Assessment Notice.

The Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno; location of principal place of business, Fresno, Fresno county, state of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors, held on Saturday, January 30th, 1897, an assessment (No. 7) of $3 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary, at the office of the company, corner of K and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Tuesday, March 2nd, 1897, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 3d day of April, A. D. 1897, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the company, corner of K and San Diego streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

(SEAL) F. KOHN,
Secretary of the Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno, Fresno city, Fresno county, state of California, January 30th, A. D., 1897. Howst4

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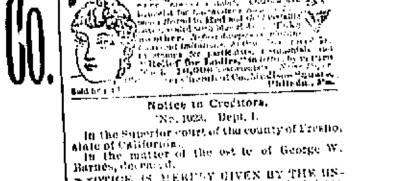

Notice to Creditors.

No. 1023. Dept. 1.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Barnes, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, Charles N. Barnes, administrator of the estate of George W. Barnes, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Snow & Freman, rooms 10 and 11 of the Fresno National Bank building, situated on the corner of J and Tulare streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1897.

CHARLES N. BARNES,
Administrator of the estate of George W. Barnes, deceased.
Snow & Freman, Attorneys for administrator, Fresno, California. 19185

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court, county of Fresno state of California.

T. R. Menx, plaintiff, vs. John B. Ambrose, defendant.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 21st day of January, 1897, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 18th day of January, 1897, in favor of T. R. Menx, plaintiff, and against John B. Ambrose, defendant, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume "9," of the said Superior court, on page 180, et seq., for the sum of eight hundred forty-one and 85-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 23rd day of February, 1897, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the west door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

The southwest quarter (sw¼) of section twenty-five (25) in township fifteen (15) south, of range fourteen (14) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the surveys of the government of the United States, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, January 23d, 1897.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
Moux & Johnson, Attorneys for plaintiff. j24

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

George W. Birmingham, plaintiff, vs. Theodore H. Birmingham, A. Lenore Birmingham, Kutner Goldstein Company, a corporation, John E. Daly and S. Goodenough, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 15th day of February, 1897, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 15th day of February, 1897, in favor of George W. Birmingham, plaintiff, and against Theodore H. Birmingham, A. Lenore Birmingham, Kutner-Goldstein Company, (a corporation), John E. Daly and S. Goodenough, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in decree book, volume 9, of the said Superior court, on page 159 for the sum of four hundred thirty-nine and 86-100 ($439.86) dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 11th day of March, 1897, at 11 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises in the said order of sale as follows:

Lots seven (7) and eight (8) in section twenty-four (24) in township eleven (11) south, range twenty (20) east, M. D. B. and M. containing thirty-one and 59-100 acres situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, February 15th, 1897.

W. R. WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
W. D. Crichton attorney for plaintiff. f16

SPECIAL SALE

—OF—

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—FROM THE—

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White Front Stores

We still have a few Gleanings in our various departments—goods which are left over from our winter stock and from our great January Slaughter Sale. As only a week remains in which to dispose of these remnants, we have marked them at prices at which they

MUST GO.

These Gleanings are of no value to us—are, in fact, in the way—and we propose to let them go for the lowest prices tha were ever quoted on such merchandise. The Gleanings include

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Odds and Ends in Fancy Goods,
Remnants in Clothing,
Odds and Ends in Shoes,
The Balance (Very Few) of Our Capes and Jackets,
What is Left of Our Winter Millinery
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We Put in All Our Plain and Fancy Colored Surah and Faille Francaise Silks, Worth 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 a Yard at the Clearing-out Price of

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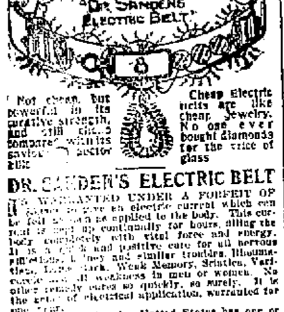

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IS WARRANTED UNDER A FORFEIT OF ... to give an electric current which can be felt as soon as applied to the body. This current is kept up continually for hours, filling the body completely with vital force and energy. It is a quick and positive cure for all nervous ..., kidney and similar troubles, Rheumatism, Lame Back, Weak Memory, Sciatica, Varicocele, ... all weakness in men or women. No other remedy cures so quickly, so surely. It is the ... of electrical application, warranted for one year.

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DR. A. T. Sanden, Box A, 632 Market Street, San Francisco, Cal.

Summons.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

Rebecca A. Rawlins, plaintiff, vs. Lois E. Whidden, D. Graham Whidden, her husband, Lillie Pushee, John Doe, Richard Roe and Hannah Roe, defendants.

Action brought in the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and the complaint filed in said Fresno county in the office of the clerk of said superior court.

The people of the state of California send greeting to Lois E. Whidden, D. Graham Whidden, her husband, Lillie Pushee, John Doe, Richard Roe and Hannah Roe, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said defendants, Lois E. Whidden and D. Graham Whidden, her husband, on the 8th day of January, 1892, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note bearing even date with said mortgage, due two years after date, made by said Lois E. Whidden, and D. Graham Whidden in favor of plaintiff for the sum of $260, bearing interest at the rate of one per cent per month from date until paid, interest payable semi-annually. Plaintiff also prays for judgment for the sum of $34.47 paid for state and county taxes; for the further sum of $23.61 paid for city taxes; for the further sum of $25 paid for searching title to said premises; and for the further sum of $200 attorney's fees and costs of suit; that said sums be declared to be a lien upon the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

Lots 25, 26, 27 and 28 of block 117 of the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California; that said premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of the costs of said sale and the several amounts due to the plaintiff, and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain a judgment and execution against the defendants Lois E. Whidden and D. Graham Whidden for the balance remaining due; that the defendants and all persons claiming through or under them may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim or equity of redemption in or to the said premises and every part thereof. Plaintiff also prays for general relief, all of which will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior court this 21st day of December, 1896.

[Seal.] T. G. HART, Clerk.
By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy.

H. H. Welsh, Attorney for plaintiff. 14

ALL TENDERS REJECTED

SUPERVISORS WILL NOT BUILD A COUNTY ORPHANAGE.

They State Their Intention of Buying Judge Nourse's Place for $7000.

There was a disappointed architect and several disappointed contractors in the supervisors' office yesterday afternoon. The architect was Mr. McDougall of Bakersfield, whose plans for the proposed county orphanage building the supervisors accepted some time ago; and the contractors were those who had made bids for the construction of the building according to Mr. McDougall's plans and specifications.

The time for opening the bids had been set for yesterday afternoon, and the tenders were duly opened, but instead of accepting one of them the supervisors rejected them all. There was nothing the matter with the bids; the board had merely decided not to build a county orphanage, and on motion of Supervisor Smith, seconded by Manly, all the tenders were rejected.

The fact is that the supervisors have been doing some thinking, and have decided that it would be unwise to erect an $8050 building to harbor twenty-seven orphans. A member of the board said to a REPUBLICAN representative: "The likelihood is that an orphanage building and the requisite furniture and improvements on the grounds would cost the county a total of $15,000. The last report of the institution showed that it had only twenty-seven inmates, and $15,000 certainly seems to be a good deal of money to use for housing them—too much, in fact.

"We have received an offer from Judge Nourse, who has expressed his willingness to sell us his residence with some of the furniture and ten acres of land for $7000. The residence is commodious and well arranged and has more than enough room for the present number of orphans. There is also a windmill, tank and tankhouse, an engine for pumping and an engine house, a stable and carriage house, shed, etc. In addition to this the ten acres are all improved land and the grounds around the house are nicely laid out.

"By accepting this offer the county is saved at least $5000, though I am inclined to think more. Another point in favor of the Nourse residence is its location. The land on which it was intended to locate the orphanage has objectionable features which are entirely absent from the location occupied by the Nourse residence."

The board unanimously passed a resolution of intention expressing its intention to purchase the property of George A. Nourse for a county orphanage for $7000, and this will be published for the required time. It is not improbable that there will be some objection to this new plan. The supervisors, however, expect this and are prepared to listen to arguments against it.

FOWLER ALL RIGHT.

Will Develop and Prosper With Its Surroundings.

From the Fowler Ensign.

Occasionally words of discouragement are heard coming from some of our towns people, on account of two or three of our leading citizens moving to Fresno with their families. There is really no cause for alarm in this and it is no indication that stagnation in business is going to result. Whenever any town begins to develop into a city and becomes the center of population it draws upon the surrounding towns for new material. If you do not realize the full force of this statement just inquire into the matter in any thrifty, progressive city that you please and you will find that a large per cent of the solid business men are men who have come from the smaller towns surrounding it. They went there not simply to be in a city but because they had outgrown their country town and the city needed them. Fresno now is, and will continue to be, the metropolis of the central and southern portions of the great San Joaquin valley and as such will draw from the smaller towns some of their brightest and best qualified citizens. Fowler, being in close proximity, will occasionally have to make a contribution. But, in spite of all this, Fowler will still be surrounded by the same beautiful country, in the center of one of the most productive bodies of land in this glorious state. Preparations are now being made to run a railroad on each side of us. Let them do it if they want to. We are not going to suffer, for this section of country is going to grow and develop sufficiently in a short time to more than offset the loss of trade occasioned by the building of these roads. Our town is all right, for Fresno county and the whole San Joaquin valley are just entering upon a new era of prosperity and Fowler will be right here when the prosperity comes along.

Piano Recital.

Miss Neally Stevens will give a piano recital at Armory hall this evening. She has studied under the best masters and comes highly recommended. She is said to be a talented musician, and Fresno's music lovers should not fail to attend her recital this evening. The opportunities for hearing good music are not so frequent that we can afford to miss one when it presents itself.

A Good Place for Varmints.

From the Visalia Delta.

Last Wednesday evening M. S. Featherstone of Goshen set some steel traps for "varmints" and within thirty-six hours he took out of the traps two coyotes, one fox, one badger, one polecat, two crows and a big dog.

FREE CURE FOR MEN.

A Michigan Man Offers to Send His Discovery Free—Claims to be a Benefactor to Weakened Mankind.

There is always more or less suspicion attached to anything that is offered free, but sometimes a man so overflows with generosity that he cannot rest until his discovery is known to the world, in order that his fellow men may profit by what he has discovered. It is upon this principle that a resident of Kalamazoo, Mich., desires to send free to mankind a prescription which will cure them of any form of nervous debility; relieves them of all the doubt and uncertainty which such men are peculiarly liable to and restores the organs to natural size and vigor. As it costs nothing to try the experiment, it would seem that any man suffering with the nervous troubles that usually attack men who never stopped to realize what might be the final result, ought to be deeply interested in a remedy which will restore them to health, strength and vigor, without which they continue to live an existence of untold misery. As the remedy in question was the result of many years' research as to what combination would be peculiarly effective in restoring to men the strength they need, it would seem that all men ought to write for such a remedy at once. A request to H. C. Olds, box 1193, Kalamazoo, Mich., stating that you are not sending for the prescription out of idle curiosity, but that you wish to make use of the medicine by giving it a trial, will be answered promptly and without evidence as to where the information came from.

The prescription is sent free, and although some wonder how Mr. Olds can afford to give away his discovery, there is no doubt about the offer being genuine. Cut this out and send it to Mr. Olds so that he may know how you came to write him.

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Will buy, sell and exchange all kinds of

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Carpets, Stoves, Tinware, Glassware, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Valises, etc.

Wants to buy about $500 worth of second-hand furniture. Call on or notify No. 1842 Tulare street, next to postoffice, Fresno, Cal.

DRINK AT MEALS.

An Important Part.

The real trouble with tea and coffee drinking is not generally understood. It is common knowledge with everyone that physicians advise the discontinuance of both tea and coffee when a person is sick, particularly when the digestive machinery is affected. Any person with a slight knowledge of chemistry can make the following experiments, securing the results as given. Coagulated egg albumen, when mixed with artificial gastric juices, will be practically entirely digested in eight hours.

When tea is added during the process of digestion, 66 per cent of albumen will be digested, leaving 34 per cent undigested, while if a decoction of coffee is mixed with the albumen, the result will be but 61 per cent digested and 39 per cent undigested. This means one thing, and the experiment speaks that fact plainly. When tea or coffee is taken into the human stomach, they very seriously interfere with the natural and healthful operation. Where a person has an exceedingly powerful digestive apparatus, he can stand this abuse for a time, but it is sure to tell sooner or later.

In addition to the above it may be said that any ordinary analytical chemist can analyze coffee and show the poisonous alkaloids of much the same character as found in strychnine, whiskey, tobacco and morphine. These poisons have a direct effect upon the liver, and a furred tongue, costive bowels, bad skin and various other indications of approaching sickness are apparent. These facts have been recognized by physicians for many years, but it is difficult to induce people to leave off their habits even when those habits are shown to be injurious and to shorten the existence of the human body.

The manager of La Vita Inn, a health institution at Battle Creek, Mich., made a large number of experiments in the direction of a food drink that would be at once nourishing, palatable and fragrant, without any of the poisonous or injurious properties. His experiments were confined to compounding and arranging products of various cereals, or grains, such as were intended by nature for man's subsistence. Being in a position to note the effect of the beverage upon weak stomachs, and patients who needed the most nourishing food and drink that could be obtained, his experiments were conducted under what would probably be considered the most favorable circumstances. After continued use and the most positive evidence of the healthful properties of the food-drink, patients who had been healed wished to continue the use of the cereal drink after their return to their homes, and others made demand for it.

In order to supply this demand and the public generally, the Postum Cereal Co., Limited, was formed. All people who drink coffee and tea do not care to discontinue their use, although quite satisfied of their hurtful properties. There are enough people, however, in America, who hold their health in high enough esteem to be willing to give a little attention to their food and drink. There is no habit the creature acquires which produces as much real enjoyment as the old-fashioned habit of being thoroughly well. When a man can inhale a deep breath of pure air and feel that every part of the machinery of the human body is working perfectly, the feeling of comfort produces a deep sense of easy content and thankfulness to the Creator for the mere privilege of living.

Postum Cereal Food Coffee is a thoroughly healthful food drink. It can be taken at each meal by all members of the family, including the children. It quickly establishes itself as an important part of the meal, and when left out, one misses the fragrant odor, the comforting flavor and the health-giving properties.

1 lb. coffee (30 cents) gives 40 to 45 cups.

1 package Postum (25 cents) gives 100 cups.

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This item of economy is by no means the chief consideration. Health, comfort and red blood speak out strongly for the natural drink.

The pure food drink brews exactly the color of the richest coffee and has much the same fragrance and taste, with none of the harmful properties. Many imitations have sprung up.

Sold by H. Graff & Co., John C. Nourse, Taylor Albin, B. T. Scott.

"CHIMMIE FADDEN."

Charles Hopper at the Barton Monday, 22d Inst.

At the Barton opera house on Thursday the sale of seats begin for the engagement of Charles Hopper and his comedy company in "Chimmie Fadden," the clever American dialect play by a former San Franciscian, Edward W. Townsend, which has been a phenomenal success in the East and which is now on its first Western tour. Chimmie Fadden is a type taken from the slum life of New York city and first exploited in the newspapers of the country, subsequently being dramatized by Mr. Townsend, with the assistance of the well-known dramatic writer, Augustus Thomas. The piece was produced last winter in the East and shortly afterwards went to New York city, where it ran an entire winter. An enormous hit was made by Charles Hopper in the title role, and artistic successes were made by other members of the talented company, which includes George Nash, Mario Bates, Sydney Price, John Flood, W. H. Sheldon, Barney Reynolds, J. R. Furlong, Harry Rawlins, Fanny Donham-Ronse, Beth Franklyn, Berenice Wheeler and Irine Viancourt. The entire company and production will be seen here on Monday evening next.

Oleander News.

R. L. Granna visited the Good Templar's lodge at West Park Sunday evening.

Mrs. Corvenius is back after a protracted absence in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. D. Galloway will leave on Wednesday for Sacramento to join her husband, who has a position in the senate.

The boys' club, which was started several months ago, is creating a widespread interest. Lately a girls' club has been organized with a membership of over fifteen.

The Oleander Good Templars' lodge is still very much alive, as was evidenced by the proceedings of last Wednesday night, when two new members were initiated into the mysteries of the order, after which the following officers were installed for the ensuing term: C.T., Mrs. A. C. Buckland; V.T., Miss E. Buckland; P.C.T., R. L. Harris; secretary, J. J. Bolitho; financial secretary, Miss R. B. Dorman; treasurer, George Wilson; marshal, A. E. Balch; deputy marshal, Miss Purcell; guard, R. L. Granna; chaplain, Professor J. M. Sinclair. G.A.B.

Oleander, February 16, 1897.

Every Editor Should Be Here.

From the Visalia Times.

Next Saturday there will be a San Joaquin Valley Press Association formed in Fresno. This is something that has been needed for some time, and the proprietor of every newspaper in the valley should attend the first meeting of the association. If the newspapers will only stand together the San Joaquin valley will soon get the recognition it deserves from the rest of the state. Rustle up a delinquent subscriber, boys, and be on hand when your names are called.

The New Source of Supply.

From the Hanford Democrat.

Fresno is to have a new brewery and ice factory, run in connection one with the other. As the Valley railroad will be here soon, probably Hanford will get her beer and ice from that city before the summer is over.

INTERCONTINENTAL ROAD.

Report of the Commission Now In Course of Preparation.

The report of the intercontinental railway commission is now in course of preparation and will be completed in a short time. The commission was appointed several years ago to select a route for a railway connecting the United States with Central and South America and all the countries through which the line would run are represented in the commission, including the United States of Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela and Paraguay. The proposed line runs along the Pacific coast through Guatemala, Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Chile, whence it converges to the east.

A small portion of the line is already built, and several of the governments are now making concessions to private enterprises to extend the rail communication. The commission will estimate in its report that about 4,500 miles of the road will have to be constructed, reaching from the Mexican frontier to Lake Titicaca, in Peru. Only a few hundred miles will have to be built by the Chilean government in order to connect a terminus of her system with the proposed line.

Some trouble is being experienced in estimating the total cost of the line on account of the fact that in some sections the cost will be $30,000 per mile and in others it will reach $60,000. One of the engineers has estimated the cost of the line across Ecuador at more than $18,000,000, and the estimate for Peru is about $40,000,000. The commission will express its conviction of the entire practicability of the proposed railway. Several of the governments named have already adopted the route selected by the commission, and Guatemala is actually carrying out the recommendations of the commission so far as its territory is concerned.—Washington Star.

LOOKING FOR TROUBLE.

Five Bachelors Vow That They Will Be Married Within a Year.

Five bachelors of Shelbyville, Ind., have taken oath that they will be married by Christmas day of 1897 or pay an awful penalty.

They are all well to do, good looking and healthy. They have formed themselves into a club called the Coming Benedicts and have registered their oaths to be husbands before a magistrate.

These gentlemen are Dr. Samuel Kennedy, a widely known physician; John Messick, a leading druggist; John D. De Grey, assistant cashier of the Shelby bank; William Talbert, a prominent lumberman, and Edward Swain, who is likewise engaged in the lumber trade.

The five gave themselves a Christmas dinner at the Hotel Ray, at which Messick announced that he had grown tired of prodding himself trying to sew on buttons and gave notice to his friends that he would soon be married. The others scoffed at him, but finally were brought over to his view of life. A compact was drawn up and signed and sworn to by all.

All swear that they will be married by Dec. 25 next and will, with their wives, meet at the Ray for their dinner on that day. The one who fails his word engages himself to be present at the dinner, bound and gagged, in charge of the sheriff, besides forfeiting $100 to each of the others.—Chicago Times-Herald.

How About the Wooden Head?

With the tomato heart, the bicycle cancer and the many other perils that are alleged to environ the human being of today, we should be thankful that the mortuary reports are not fatter than they are.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

She Knows Her Lines.

Adelina Patti is studying a new opera written for her by an American composer, and when she learns it she will have an excuse to come over here for another "farewell tour."—St. Louis Republic.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

James T Stratton et ux to M J McDonald, sw¼ of sec 16, t 15, r 19; also nw¼ of sec 16, t 19, r 22; $1.

Orlo Robinson et vir to John McDaniel, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in blk 24 of the city of Fresno; $10.

Dougal Baird, John Baird, Robert Baird and Andrew Baird to B T Scott, lots 6 and 8 to 14, inclusive, in blk 24 of the town of Covell; $1500.

H H Meyer to W A Cosby, all of the ne¼ of ne¼ of sec 4, t 15, r 19, containing 40 acres; $1000.

Clementino Bombino to G Armendolo, undivided ½ interest in and to lots 15 and 16 in blk 26 of the city of Fresno; $10.

O J Woodward et ux to R C Dorsey, lots 11, 12 and 13 in blk 243 of the city of Fresno; $5.

F R Green et ux to E L Wemple, se¼ of nw¼ of sec 31, t 16, r 22; also the south one-eighteenth part of nw¼ of sec 31, t 15, r 22; $2012.

Mrs. Florinda A Harriman to Wm Hoag et ux, lot 5 in sw¼ of sec 25, t 14, r 19, in the Bank of California Tract; $1600.

TO LEAVE FRESNO.

Mrs. Senecal of the S. F. Underwear House to Return to the Coast.

Mrs. E R. Senecal has positively decided to leave Fresno, and in order to not delay her departure she is closing out the stock of beautiful goods at the S. F. Underwear House, 1817 Mariposa street, at prices which are below manufacturers' cost.

The printing of her closing out price list in yesterday's REPUBLICAN had the desired effect, as many people visited the store and all made purchases. It is safe to say that the last item will soon go, and those who wish to take advantage of the sale are advised to act quickly. *

Belmont Avenue Presbyterian Church.

On next Friday evening, Feb. 19, there will be an exhibition in Belmont hall, under the supervision of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Belmont Avenue Presbyterian Church, for the benefit of that church. Mrs. Jarley will exhibit her famous wax works, and appropriate music will be interspersed. At the close of the exhibition refreshments will be served to all who wish them. Admittance, 15 cents. *

For One Week Only.

Your choice of our splendid lines of Ladies' fine $3 and $3.50 shoes for $2.50. Latest styles in lace or button. Don't let this opportunity pass you by to get first-class footwear at less than cost. Philadelphia Shoe Store, 1937 Mariposa street, near court house park. *

Diaries,

Blank books and office supplies. South & Fentom's. *

For the finest lunch and glass of beer go to the Tivoli. *

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For tickets, berths and folder giving full information, apply to any So. Pac. agent, or to T. H. DUZAN, 212 So. Spring St., Los Angeles; W. D. SANBORN, 32 Montgomery St., San Francisco.

PERSONALS.

J. Weil was over from Sanger yesterday.

E. F. Fortune was over from Sanger yesterday.

L. P. McDonald is down from Oroville on business.

Ben Kohlberg came down from Stockton last evening.

Mrs. Ed Wright of Bakersfield is visiting in this city.

W. O. Walker of San Jose is registered at the Pleasanton.

James R. Minturn was here from Minturn yesterday.

Albert Kollmer is down from Pine Grove for a few days.

A. Albrecht and wife of Fowler were visiting in Fresno yesterday.

O. T. Stewart of Helena, Montana, is spending a few days in Fresno.

Smith Norris, formerly county recorder, was in town yesterday.

A. J. Wiener went to San Francisco yesterday morning on business.

George H. Warren of Ogden, Utah, is making a brief sojourn in Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Ball went to San Francisco yesterday morning.

T. H. Kenney of St. Louis is among the eastern visitors now in Fresno.

Mrs. Robert McLellan of San Francisco is visiting friends in this city.

Rocco Dianovich, travelor and lecturer, will leave today for Los Angeles.

H. W. Downing, the architect, now of Stockton, spent yesterday in Fresno on business.

W. M. Barr, the Sanger real estate and insurance agent, spent yesterday in the county seat.

C. W. Wheeler, editor of the Waitsburgh (Wash.) *Times*, and general organizer of the Woodmen of the World, is spending a few days in Fresno.

H. K. Rodgers of San Jose spent Sunday and Monday with George R. Blake at West Park and Leonard Chamberlain of Washington Colony, stopping over on his way to Randsburg.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY TAKE Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Buker & Colson refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. *

Tonight

The Neally Stevens piano recital. *

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SALE OF SEATS BEGINS THURSDAY.

Prices—$1, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Emlyn W. Cobb, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, Emma M. Taft, administratrix of the estate of Emlyn W. Cobb, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of H. H. Welsh, Esq., her attorney, rooms 5, 6, 7 and 8, Farmers' Bank building, corner of Mariposa and I streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Fresno, state of California.

EMMA M. TAFT, Administratrix of the estate of Emlyn W. Cobb, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, Cal., February —, 1897.
H. H. Welsh, attorney for administratrix. 1176

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 7??.

Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure.

The Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company (a corporation), plaintiff vs. Peter A. Wernink, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1897, in the above-entitled action, wherein The Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company (a corporation), the above-named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Peter A. Wernink, defendant, on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1897, for the sum of $88.30, besides interest and costs, which said decree and judgment was, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1897, recorded in judgment book, volume 11, page 126 et seq., I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The west half of the south half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section three, in township thirteen south, range twenty east, M. D. B. and M., containing ten acres of land, and otherwise known and described as the west half of lot one hundred and two of Perrin Colony No. 2, as per map or plat of said colony on file and of record in recorder's office of the county of Fresno, state of California.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above-described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated Fresno, February 17th, 1897.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By L. A. SPENCER, Under Sheriff.

F. H. Short, attorney for plaintiff. 117

Resolution of Intention to Purchase Property.

In the Board of Supervisors of Fresno County, California, February 16th, 1897.

Notice of Intention of the Board of Supervisors to purchase certain property for the maintenance of a county orphanage.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 16th day of February, 1897, the Board of Supervisors of Fresno county passed a resolution to purchase the following described property for the purpose of maintaining a county orphanage, to wit:

The west half (½) of the west half (½) of the northeast quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of section eleven (11) township fourteen (14) south, of range twenty (20) east, M. D. B. & M., consisting of ten (10) acres, together with the residence thereon, water tank and tank tower, windmill and tower for same, steam engine and boiler, stable and carriage house and all other improvements thereon.

The property aforesaid is known and designated as the "George A. Nourse" property; the price to be paid therefor is the sum of seven thousand dollars.

The board will meet at its office, at the court house, city of Fresno, on Saturday, the 13th day of March, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m. to consummate said purchase.

Any person interested, objecting to the purchase of said property or to the price to be paid therefor, may make written objections to the same, which must be filed with the clerk of said board on or before the time aforesaid, to-wit: Saturday, the 13th day of March, 1897, or appear in open session of said board, on said day, and state said objections.

By order of the board.

Attest: T. G. HART, Clerk.
By J. B. JOHNSON, Deputy.

The resolution of intention above referred to more fully appears upon the record of said board, now on file in the office thereof, which resolution is hereby referred to for further particulars.

Passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Garrett, Manly, Rose, Smith and Sayre.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

[SEAL.] Attest: T. G. HART, Clerk.
117t13w1912 By J. B. JOHNSON, Deputy.

Record of Kroeger School Pupils.

The following are the names of those children in the primary department of Kroeger school who received 90 per cent and over in the recent examination: Lulu Markley 97, Julia Hurley 94, Hazel Holmes 94, George Wilson 90, Paul Appley 91, Willie Holmes 90, Katie Hurley 95, Annie Rimmer 94, Grace Cory 93, Robert Simington 93, Andrew Jensen 98, Ella Wakefield 90, George Wood 92, Tilden Wood 93, Phebe Nettleton 93, Karl Holmes 92.

MRS. F. T. BARKER, Teacher.

BORN.

KILLILEA—In this city, February 13, 1897, to the wife of J. A. Killilea, a daughter.

DIED.

DONAHOO—In this city, February 16, 1897, Mrs. Rachael Amanda Donahoo, aged 81 years.

Funeral this morning from 114 Diamond street. Services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner of K and Kern streets, at 10 o'clock.

MAXWELL—In Denver, Colo., February 16, 1897, Mrs. S. J. Maxwell, aged 63 years, and a native of West Virginia.

Deceased was the mother of Hu, J. F. and R. R. Maxwell of this county.

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A. D. EWING, N. G.

R. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

Masonic Meetings
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FRESNO LODGE, NO. 247, F. & A. M. Stated meetings on Friday on or before the full of the moon.

L. O. STEPHENS, W. M.

T. H. WARRINGTON, Secretary.

O. E. S., RAISINA CHAPTER NO. 89, MEETS first and third Thursdays of each month at 7.30 o'clock in Masonic Temple.

MRS. ANA BELL WILLIAMS, Worthy Matron.
MRS. ELIZA F. GRIMES Secy.

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MRS. DELIA COOLIDGE, Secretary.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of J. O. Colwell, an insolvent debtor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL THE creditors who have proved their claims against the above named insolvent to appear before the said court, at the court room of Department No. 1 thereof, on the 1st day of March, 1897, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., and show cause if any they have why the said J. O. Colwell, insolvent, should not be discharged from all his debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Dated January 18th, 1897.

T. G. HART, Clerk.

119td By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of James L. Purvis, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned administrator of the estate of James L. Purvis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, personally, at his office in the court-house, in the county of Fresno, state of California, or at the office of Everts & Ewing, attorneys for said administrator, rooms 2 and 3, First National Bank building, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated January 19th, 1897.

L. B. CHURCH,
Administrator of the estate of James L. Purvis, deceased.

Everts & Ewing, Attorneys for administrator. 110130

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Moses Kirkpatrick, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, Eliza A. Kirkpatrick, executrix of the last will and testament of Moses Kirkpatrick, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four—4—months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of O. Scribner, rooms 14 and 15, Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building, corner of Mariposa and J streets, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the estate of the above-named decedent in the county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated December 26th, 1896.

ELIZA A. KIRKPATRICK,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Moses Kirkpatrick, deceased.

Deal, Tauszky and Wells, attorneys for executrix.

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ORDINANCE NO. 329.

An ordinance establishing water rates and fixing the compensation for pure water furnished for family uses, for private purposes, for municipal uses and for all public purposes within and for the city of Fresno, for the year commencing July 1st, 1897, and ending June 30, 1898.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY of Fresno do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That for the year commencing on the 1st day of July, 1897, and ending June 30, 1898, the monthly rates or compensation which any person, company, association or corporation may charge, collect and receive for furnishing pure water to the city of Fresno, or the inhabitants thereof, for family uses, for private purposes, for municipal uses and for all public purposes, are hereby fixed and established as follows:

Per Month.

1. For houses or tenements occupied by a single family of not more than five persons ... $1 00
   Each additional person therein ... 15
2. In private boarding houses of more than five persons, for each person above that number, in addition to family house rate ... 15
3. For small families occupying rooms in second, third and fourth stories ... 1 00
4. For restaurants and boarding houses ... $3 to 5 00
5. For lodging houses, in addition to family house rates, per room without stationary washstand ... 10
   With stationary washstand ... 15
6. For hotels, subject to special agreement in accordance with quantity of water used, to be determined by meter or otherwise.
7. For small stores and shops ... 1 00
8. For large stores and warehouses $1 50 to 5 00
9. For saloons ... 2 50
10. For rooms in second and third stories occupied as offices, for each room ... 50
11. For photograph galleries ... $2 50 to 5 00
12. For public water closets, where only one is used ... 1 50
    Each additional closet or urinal ... 50
13. For private water closets ... 40
    But if not taken in connection with other water ... 75
14. For bakeries, in addition to house rates, per ten barrels of flour used ... 75
15. For fountains using 1-16 inch jet not more than six hours per day ... 2 00
    Fountains using ⅛ inch jet ... 4 00
16. For public water troughs ... $2 to 4 00
17. For dental rooms ... 1 00
18. For gas engines ... $2 to 10 00
19. For each public bath tub used in bathing establishments, hotels, boarding houses, barber shops, etc ... 2 00
20. For each bath tub used in private families of not more than five persons ... 25
21. For drug stores ... $2 to 3 00
22. For drug stores with soda fountain $3 to 4 00
23. For blacksmith and wagon shops, with the use of hose for cooling tire, etc ... $1 to 300
24. For each horse in livery stables, including water for washing buggies and carriages ... 60
25. For private stables, with one horse and buggy when taken with other water ... 50
    Each additional horse or cow therein ... 25
26. For each hack and two horses in hack stables ... 1 50
27. For each horse in feed and sale stables ... 30
28. For the first five barrels of lime, plaster or cement, per barrel ... 25
    All over five and up to ten barrels, per barrel ... 20
    All over ten barrels, per barrel ... 15
29. For water used to make mortar and to dampen brick, the first five thousand brick, per thousand ... 20
    Each additional thousand ... 15
30. For barber shops, with one barber's chair only ... 1 00
    Each additional barber's chair ... 50
31. For laundries and wash houses, other than steam ... $3 to 10 00
32. For the irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds by the use of hose for sprinkling, when taken with water for household use, 1 cent per square yard for the first 75 yards, except for Bermuda grass the rate shall be 50 cents for the first 75 square yards, and ½ cent per square yard for each yard over 75, said rate to be charged only during the irrigation season, to-wit, from May 1st to November 1st. Payment to be made for the entire season of six months; or one half of above rates if paid each month in the year, but no charge for irrigation alone to be less than 75 cents per month if taken by the half year, or 37½ cents if taken by the year.
33. For steam engines not working more than ten hours per day, each horse power up to ten ... 75
    Each additional horse power ... 50
34. For all water supplied by and through hydrants to the city of Fresno, for fire purposes, irrespective of the number of hydrants in use ... 100 00
35. For all water supplied by and through stand pipes to the city of Fresno, for street sprinkling or sewer flushing, per each 1000 gallons ... 5
36. For water where the quantity used does not exceed 25,000 gallons per month, to be ascertained by meter or otherwise per 1000 gallons ... 50
37. Where the quantity used exceeds 25,000 per month, for each additional 1000 gallons ... 35
    Provided, that no charge for family use shall be less than $1.50 per month, and no charge for brick blocks shall be less than $1 per month.

Sec. 2. Any person, company, association or corporation shall have the power in all cases to ascertain by meter or otherwise the quantity of water used and fix the compensation at meter rates.

Sec. 3. Any consumer dissatisfied with the amount of his monthly water rate can have the same adjusted by meter by paying the price of a meter and a reasonable price for setting the same.

Sec. 4. This ordinance fixes the maximum beyond which any person, company, association or corporation shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied. All rates except meter rates are due and payable monthly in advance, and meter rates are due and payable at the end of each month.

Sec. 5. Immediately upon the alarm of fire all persons using water for irrigation purposes must close their faucets and keep them closed during the use of water by the Fire Department, and it shall be unlawful and is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor for any person, during the time the water is being used by the Fire Department to use any water whatever for the purpose of irrigation.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the 1st day of July, 1897, and remain in full force until and including the 30th day of June, 1898.

Passed this 15th day of February, A. D. 1897, by the following vote:

Ayes—Trustees McVey, Chittenden, Austin, Spinney, Craycroft.

Noes—None.

C. J. CRAYCROFT,
President Board of City Trustees.

Attest: J. W. Shanklin, City Clerk.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

"VALLEY ROAD."

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Passenger train time table:
Daily, including Sunday.

From Stockton.		Towards Stockton.
7.20 a. m.	Stockton, Weber Ave.	5.40 p. m.
7.30 a. m.	Stockton, Hunter St.	5.30 p. m.
*7.48 a. m.	Burnham	*5.12 p. m.
8.11 a. m.	Kasalou	4.51 p. m.
*8.15 a. m.	Harrold	*4.45 p. m.
8.30 a. m.	Claston	4.31 p. m.
*8.37 a. m.	Empire	*4.23 p. m.
8.45 a. m.	Hughson	4.16 p. m.
8.59 a. m.	Elmwood	4.03 p. m.
*9.31 a. m.	Gracey	*3.26 p. m.
9.42 a. m.	Merced	3.14 p. m.
*10.00 a. m.	Turner	*3.00 p. m.
*10.08 a. m.	Geneva	*2.53 p. m.
10.22 a. m.	Le Grand	2.40 p. m.
10.33 a. m.	Marguerite	2.27 p. m.
10.44 a. m.	Sharon	2.16 p. m.
*10.52 a. m.	Miller	*2.08 p. m.
11.07 a. m.	Lankershim	1.55 p. m.
*11.18 a. m.	Patterson	*1.42 p. m.
*11.35 a. m.	Bullard	*1.25 p. m.
11.50 a. m.	Fresno, Kern St.	1.10 p. m.

*Stops only on signal or to leave passengers. Steamboats of the California Navigation and Improvement Co. making connections with these trains will leave Washington Street Wharf, Pier 3, San Francisco, at 6 p. m. daily, and Stockton at 6 p. m. daily.

JOHN MOSS, Traffic Manager,
San Francisco, January 1, 1897.

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TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:
Commencing January 1, 1897.

2:50 A.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—Daily for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and intermediate points.

2:50 A.M.—SAN FRANCISCO EXPRESS—Daily. For Collis, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

4:13 A. M.—SUNSET LIMITED—Wednesday and Sunday. For Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East.

6:40 A. M.—FRESNO PASSENGER—Daily. For Merced, Modesto, Lathrop and all way stations; also for Tracy, Port Costa, Oakland and San Francisco.

6:58 A. M.—SUNSET LIMITED—Thursday and Sunday. For San Francisco.

9:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. For Porterville and way stations. Porterville to Famoso on Wednesday only.

9:35 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily. For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.

8:00 A. M.—SUNSET EXPRESS—Daily via Merced and Lathrop; connects at Berenda from Raymond (Yosemite), at Lathrop for Stockton, Sacramento and the East via Ogden and Portland.

9:00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Lathrop and all way stations.

9:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 1.10 p.m.

2:40 P. M.—RAYMOND PASSENGER—Daily for Madera, Berenda and Raymond.

6:30 P.M.—PASSENGER TRAIN—Daily. For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.

5:50 P.M.—NEW ORLEANS EXPRESS—Daily. For Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside and the east via El Paso and New Orleans.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of H. Goodman & Company, a co-partnership composed of H. Goodman and Albert Rubenstein, and doing business under the firm name and style of H. Goodman & Co., and the said H. Goodman and Albert Rubenstein individually, insolvent debtors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL THE creditors who have proved their claims against the above-named insolvents to appear before the said court, at the court room of Department No. 2 thereof, on the 26th day of February, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and show cause if any they have why the said insolvent debtors should not be discharged from all their debts, in accordance with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Dated January 23d, 1897.

T. G. HART, Clerk.
By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk. 124

CALL

—FOR—

Republican Primaries

—AND—

CONVENTION.

The Republican City Central Committee, representing the Republican party in Fresno city, by virtue of the customs and usages of the Republican party, and by virtue of the power vested in said committee, did, at a meeting held Friday, February 5th, 1897, adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved, That a convention for the purpose of nominating a ticket to be submitted to the people for their support at the coming municipal election, to be held April 12th, 1897, be held, and the date thereof is hereby fixed for March 4th, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Fresno city.

It shall be the business of said convention to nominate citizens of Fresno city for the following offices:

One City Trustee in Ward No. 2.
One City Trustee in Ward No. 5.
One City Clerk.
One City Marshal.
One City Recorder.
One City Attorney.
One City Assessor.
One City Treasurer.
Three City School Trustees and to select one City Central Committee.

Resolved, That the apportionment or representation of delegates to said convention shall be as follows: One delegate for each precinct, and one delegate for every twenty votes cast for William McKinley at the last general election, and one delegate for every fractional part of twelve votes or over, making the representation for each precinct as follows:

First Precinct—4 delegates.
Second Precinct—5 delegates.
Third Precinct—7 delegates.
Fourth Precinct—3 delegates.
Fifth Precinct—5 delegates.
Sixth Precinct—7 delegates.
Seventh Precinct—6 delegates.
Eighth Precinct—5 delegates.
Ninth Precinct—5 delegates.
Tenth Precinct—3 delegates.

Resolved, That the primaries for the purpose of selecting the said delegates be held in Fresno city under the provisions of the Primary election law on February 23d, 1897, from 12 m. to 5 p. m.; that the qualification required of voters in addition to those prescribed by law be that he will support the Republican nominees at the coming municipal election.

The polling places and the names of the persons to constitute the election boards are as follows:

First Precinct—Jas. Q. Clark judge, Geo. A. Smith inspector, H. Bedford clerk. Polling place corner of O and Stanislaus streets.

Second Precinct—Jas. E. Faber judge, H. P. Hedges inspector, L. McNie clerk. Polling place, corner of M and Fresno streets.

Third Precinct—E. F. Wolcott judge, M. L. Schermerhorn inspector, Herman Swartz clerk. Polling place, Fresno house.

Fourth Precinct—F. P. Sanborn judge, W. S. White inspector, T. H. Hunt clerk. Polling place, 842 F street.

Fifth Precinct—H. Ford judge, H. O. Baker inspector, E. L. Chaddock clerk. Polling place, corner of I and Ventura streets.

Sixth Precinct—S. W. Renfro judge, O. P. Tuller inspector, A. H. Nutt clerk. Polling place, Einstein building, I street.

Seventh Precinct—A. Tombs judge, Al Baker inspector, C. H. Fay clerk. Polling place, City hall.

Eighth Precinct—M. D. Pierce judge, R. B. Lucas inspector, N. Tunsi clerk. Polling place, Arcade hotel.

Ninth Precinct—S. R. Bresee judge, T. A. McEachen inspector, L. R. Melvin clerk. Polling place, corner of Fresno and F streets.

Tenth Precinct—T. B. McGinley judge, A. Noble inspector, J. D. German clerk. Polling place, Burleigh's warehouse.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the Fresno Morning Republican until and including the day of said primary election.

W. A. LINFORTH, Chairman.

Attest: Lewis H. Smith Secretary.